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The Defense Program

CHEMICAL WARFARE SCHOOL

IMMEDIATELY following the First World War, the Chemical Warfare Service was still an emergency branch of the service and no decision had been made as to whether it should become part of the Regular Army.

However, it appeared probable that large-scale production of chemicals, and the development of new equipment for their dissemination, would inevitably lead to their extensive use as a weapon of war. It, therefore, seemed desirable to Maj. Gen. William L. Sibert, who was at that time Director of the Chemical Warfare Service, to establish a Chemical Warfare School as a training center for the instruction of Army personnel in the technique of using these new materials.

The original site for the school was the Lakehurst Proving Ground, Lakehurst, N. J. The first course was held from 5 Jan. to 31 March 1920. Later, when the Chemical Warfare Service became part of the Regular Army, on 1 July 1920, the Chemical Warfare School was moved to Edgewood Arsenal, Md., where the general Chemical Warfare Service center had been established.

At Edgewood provision was made, not only for the training of officers, warrant officers and non-commissioned officers in the offensive and defensive use of chemicals, but also for the dissemination throughout the Army of information as to training methods. A reflection of the Washington Disarmament Conference is shown in General Order No. 24 WD 1922 which charged the Chemical Warfare Service with supervision of training of the Army in "Chemical Warfare including the employment of smoke, incendiary materials, non-toxic gas, and defense appliances."

The first class at Edgewood was held from 10 January to 31 March 1921, and included officers from the Marine Corps as well as officers of the Chemical Warfare Service. The initial short courses for noncommissioned officers were also instituted at about this time. Separate Navy courses were begun in 1922. In that year the first Line and Staff Officers' Course was given, introducing the training not only of the Chemical Warfare Service but of the arms and other services as well.

Research on the various phases of chemical warfare led to the development of new theories and practices which were constantly being incorporated in the courses of instruction at the school.

During the next six years, the practice of training reserve officers at Edgewood Arsenal during their two weeks' tour of active duty was established. Correspondence courses in chemical warfare also came into being. By 1929, the schedules had more or less become uniform, with three Army and three Navy courses being given yearly, with a few Navy and Marine Corps officers usually assigned to the Army classes.

During the period 1927-1932, in addition to the regular courses, numerous short courses, which included those for

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Unified command of land, sea and air arms in the South West Pacific area was announced 3 Jan. Above, center, is General Sir Archibald Wavell, British Army, Supreme Commander; upper left, Maj. Gen. George H. Brett, USA, Deputy Supreme Commander; upper right, Admiral Thomas C. Hart, USN, commander of naval forces. Lower left, General Sir Henry Pownall, chief of staff to General Wavell; and lower right, Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, Supreme Commander in Chinese theater of operations.

Photos from British Press Service, China Defense Supplies, Inc., U. S. Army, and U. S. Navy.

New Enlisted Grades

In a move designed to clarify lines of promotion of non-commissioned officers, especially technical personnel, and to increase the opportunity for promotion in the lower grades, the War Department in the near future will eliminate the ratings of specialist and authorize the appointment of technicians in the third, fourth and fifth pay grades.

By establishment of these new grades the War Department also hopes to bring the Army's non-commissioned officers pay system into accord with that used in the other armed services.

The new grades will be technician 3rd grade, technician 4th grade, and technician 5th grade. Men of these grades will be non-commissioned officers, receiving the pay and allowances of the grade specified by their title. Special distinctive chevrons will be worn by all men in these technical grades. They will rank in the order of their dates of warrant below the staff sergeants, sergeants, or corporals of their grade. They may be placed on any duty commensurate with their grade, and all regulations and orders, including those relating to command authority and methods of appointment and reduction, will apply to technicians in the same manner as to other non-commissioned officers.

New allotments of authorized grades and strengths or revised Tables of Organization in which the appointments of

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Reduce Army Officer Ages

Legal authority to commission officers in the Army of the United States at a minimum age of 19, was found by the War Department this week, while at the same time, the House Military Affairs Committee reported a bill, H. R. 6307, making minimum age for officers the same as the minimum for selectees (now 20 years).

An announcement that the Army will commission officers 19 years of age and over is expected soon by the War Department.

Army Uniform Allowances

Legislation to authorize a $150 uniform allowance for commissioned officers reporting for active duty in the Army of the United States was passed by the Senate this week and sent to the House.

The bill, S. 1891, had been introduced 4 Sept. by Senator Capper, of Kan., but had laid dormant until the War Department recommended its enactment in a modified form.

Full text of the bill as amended by the Senate Military Affairs Committee was printed on the first page of 27 Dec. 1941 issue of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL.

The bill provides for graduates of the officers' candidate schools and for young Reserve officers ordered to active duty the same allowance as is now provided for aviation cadets and for short-time duty Reserve officers. The legislation when finally approved will be retroactive to 26 Sept. 1941.

2041 Navy-Marine Corps Promotions Authorized

Temporary promotions of 2,041 officers of the U. S. Navy, U. S. Marine Corps and their reserve organizations have been authorized by the President of the United States, the Navy Department anounced this week.

Under the terms of the authorization, 1,189 regular and reserve officers of the Navy may receive temporary promotions to the next higher grade, while 222 officers of the Marine Corps and its reserve component are in line for similar advancement.

Officers of the Navy and Naval Reserve eligible for the promotions are, with few exceptions, those who have been selected for permanent promotion to the next higher grade, but who have not yet made their numbers. This embraces officers of every grade except those of the grade of captain selected for promotion to rear admiral.

Marine Corps and Marine Corps Reserve officers eligible for advancement to the next higher grade are those of the grades of lieutenant colonel, major and captain who have been selected for permanent promotions, but have not yet made their numbers.

It was announced that only the approval of the commanding officers under whom they are serving is required before those eligible are awarded commissions for their new grade. Authority to make such promotions was granted the President under Public 188, enacted by the 77th Congress and approved by the President on 24 July 1941.

While no Navy promotions had been announced late this week, names of 297 Marine Corps and Marine Corps Reserve officers were announced.

Included in the 297 are 222 officers announced 7 Jan. 1942, by the Navy Department as eligible under the authorization for advancement. They include 30 promoted from lieutenant colonel to colonel, 68 from major to lieutenant colonel, and 124 from captain to major, all to rank from 1 Jan. 1942. Promotion of the remaining 75 officers from second lieutenant to first lieutenant, to rank from 2 Jan. 1942, had been authorized previously by the President.

Names of the officers follow:

To Colonel

Thomas B. Gale	Maurice C. Gregory
Field Harris	Andrew E. Crees
Donald Curtis	Merritt B. Curtis
William M. Marshall	Charles N. Muldrow
Clyde H. Metcalf	Joseph T. Smith
W. T. H. Galliford	Omar T. Pfeiffer
Ery M. Spencer	Lewie G. Merritt
William N. Best	Claude A. Larkin
William A. Worton	Shaler Ladd
J. W. Thomason, Jr.	William P. T. Hill
John T. Walker	William E. Riley
Oliver P. Smith	Ray A. Robinson
Henry D. Linscott	David R. Nimmer
William T. Clement	Victor F. Bleasdale
Evans O. Ames	M. H. Silverthorn

To Lieutenant Colonel

Wm. L. McKittrick	John K. Martenstein
Stanley E. Ridderhof	John Kaluf
Morris L. Shively	Albert W. Paul
Max D. Smith	George D. Hamilton
David A. Stafford	Melvin E. Fuller
Richard H. Schubert	Frederick C. Biebush
Samuel W. Freeny	Augustus H. Fricke

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Editors Discuss Importance of Three Focal Points in Far East Warfare

HONG KONG and Manila have fallen to the enemy. Singapore still stands, as yet unpenetrated by enemy troops. What then are the comments American newspaper editors are making on the fall of the two important cities and the defense of the other city, considered of the three most important to the cause of the United Nations. The answer is to be found in the following remarks culled from the editorial columns of the nation's press.

"Tokyo of course is celebrating the event as the first major achievement of the war," the Nashville, Tenn., *Tennessean* says concerning the fall of Hong Kong, then adds that "since Hong Kong has been of no real military value to Britain since the war began, its capture does not materially alter the broad strategic picture." Continuing, the *Tennessean* says, "The Philippines and Singapore are the important bastions which Japan must overcome before it can say that much has been attained. And of these two, it is apparent that Singapore has greater importance. For as long as that key position is held," the *Tennessean* remarks, "Japan will not be able to utilize the South Sea's resources, or to threaten India."

Comments the New London, Conn., *Day*: "With the fall of Hong Kong, Great Britain has not only lost one of the badges of her imperial prestige, but the Japanese have asserted their claim at this point to the dominance they are seeking in the war."

The Quincy, Ill., *Herald-Whig* makes little of the Japanese success at Hong Kong and says, "The Japanese have no pressing need of Hong Kong for they already hold Chinese bases in Canton and Hainan Island. Also, they have occupied Indo China to the South. But Hong Kong may be used as stepping-off place for a Philippine campaign," the *Herald-Whig* explains.

Noting the fury of the Japanese attack against the Philippine Islands, the Rutland, Vt., *Herald* says, "We should be fully prepared for the loss of the Philippine Islands. At this writing we can see no other outcome to the intensive warfare now being waged for their possession between American and Japanese forces." Turning next to the significance of the loss of the Philippines which it accepts as fact, the *Herald* says, "Loss of the Philippines makes successful joint defense of Singapore by American and British forces absolutely indispensable. If the British stronghold falls, prospects in the Far East would be really gloomy."

"Military and naval authorities have known for a long time that should Japan focus her full strength on the Philippines, their loss would be a question of time," the Montgomery, Ala., *Advertiser* says, adding that, "these initial defeats must not be allowed to weaken our resolve. We must face the reality that defeating Japan is not going to be a lark. It will be a long, tough job. Once aware of that fact there is no reason why we should not get down to the business of doing the job."

The Peoria, Ill., *Journal* says, "Essentially, the importance of the Philippines is not their raw materials, alone. What the Japs want is to drive the Americans out of the Far East so they can concentrate their efforts upon Singapore." The *Journal* points out, therefore, that, "the Philippines must be defended, no matter what the cost. If they fall, Singapore is in great danger. If Singapore falls," the *Journal* logically continues, "American troops will have to fight the war in North Africa and India. For it is toward India that Japan will inevitably drive. The American blood that will be spilled in such a long-drawn out land war such as would inevitably follow would be far greater than what is now being spilled in the Philippines."

Adding to the praise which other news editors have given to General Douglas MacArthur, the Charlotte, N. C., *News* says, "While the magnificent Douglas fights on, let us remember that in the space of a few years, he transformed one of the world's worst armies into a force of superb fighting men; that it was not until MacArthur revealed his miracle to Washington that the War College revised its long-time plan for withdrawing from the Philippines immediately after the beginning of hostilities with Japan."

"To the Japanese, the Philippines are probably worth a large price," the Hartford, Conn., *Courant* states, explaining that "their intrinsic value in resources is considerable; their strategic value, commanding as they do the approach to the oil of Borneo, the commerce of the China Sea, is probably even greater."

Commenting further on the importance of the Philippines, the *Courant* says, "In American hands they represent the nearest springboard against Japan and a threat to the sea lanes along which the Japanese must transport every man and every arm they use in Malaya."

Pearl Harbor Investigation

The Presidential investigation commission, headed by Supreme Court Justice Owen T. Roberts, this week appealed to civilians in the Territory of Hawaii to aid the commission in determining "whether any dereliction of duty or errors of judgment on the part of the United States Army personnel contributed to such successes as were achieved by the enemy" in the attack at Pearl Harbor.

Prior to its meeting, the commission through its secretary, Mr. Walter Bruce Howe, issued the following statement:

"The commission appointed by the President of the United States to ascertain and report facts relating to the attack made by Japanese armed forces upon the Territory of Hawaii on 7 Dec. invites any persons who have personal knowledge of facts which relate to the object of its inquiry, namely, 'to provide bases of sound decisions whether any dereliction of duty or errors of judgment on the part of United States Army or Navy personnel contributed to such successes as were achieved by the enemy,' to attend in person before the commission or such of its members or assistants as it may designate, to make statements under oath of such facts.'

"The commission will receive such statements on Wednesday, 7 Jan., between 9:30 and 10:30 a. m. and between 2 and 4:30 p. m. at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel in Honolulu, Room 300."

Marine Promotions

Col. Henry L. Larsen, USMC, has been temporarily promoted to brigadier general with rank from 22 Dec. 1941. General Larsen is at present commander of the Second Marine Brigade, San Diego, Calif.

Other temporary promotions announced by Marine Corps Headquarters included 1st Lt. Walter T. Brownell, USMCR, to captain; 2nd Lt. Charles H. Bennett, 2nd Lt. John S. Fantone and 2nd Lt. Richard M. Huizenga, to first lieutenant.

Hotel for Transient Officers

The Chamberlain Hotel, at Old Point Comfort, Va., recently acquired by the Navy to house officers of the United States armed services, is now available for transient officers and their families.

Officers desirous of accommodations are advised to contact the officer representing the Commandant, Fifth Naval District, Norfolk, at the hotel.

Turrets and Stacks Lose "E's"

The Navy Department has ordered the removal of the coveted "E's" from all gun turrets and stacks of ships of the fleet. For reasons of security the "E" no longer appears in plain sight; instead the mark of excellence is painted on the deck or on the inside of the turrets.

New Air Corp Promotion Asked

The War Department this week asked, and Senator Reynolds, of N. C., chairman of the Military Affairs Committee, promptly introduced, legislation to give the Air Corps its own promotion law.

Under the proposed law, promotions to all grades under general officer would be by selection, and the Air Corps would have blanket authority to make all promotions necessary to meet its needs.

The promotions, like the present limited Regular Army Air Corps promotions which are made by seniority, would confer rank for command purposes solely within the Air Forces.

The bill, S. 2182, would apply not only to Air Corps and Air Reserve officers, but would also apply to officers of any branch on duty with air units, except those on duty with units of other services and arms working with the Air Forces.

In his letter to the Congress, Secretary of War Stimson said:

"The purpose of the proposed legislation is to provide a uniform system of temporary promotion by selection in the Army of the United States in time of war or of national emergency declared by the Congress or by the President of officers of the following classes:

"1. Regular Army Air Corps.

"2. Air Corps Reserve.

"3. Regular Army officers of other branches assigned to duty with any tactical unit, installation, or staff, of the Air Corps.

"4. Reserve officers of other sections assigned to duty with any tactical unit, installation, or staff, of the Air Corps.

"5. National Guard officers ordered into the active military service of the United States with an Air Corps unit or assigned to duty with any tactical unit, installation, or staff, of the Air Corps.

"6. Officers commissioned directly in the Army of the United States and assigned to duty with any tactical unit, installation, or staff, of the Air Corps.

"The rapid present and projected growth of the Army Air Forces necessitates an accelerated rate of temporary promotion within the Air Corps of all such classes of officers and requires that promotion by selection rather than by seniority should be legally possible. Such promotion, however, need not be permanent nor involve command outside of the Air Corps except by seniority under the permanent commission of the individual concerned.

"At the present time a variety of laws and regulations affect the problem of temporary promotion of officers on duty with the Army Air Forces. Regular Army officers whether commissioned in the Air Corps or in other branches may be promoted by selection in the Army of the United States under Section 127a of the National Defense Act, as amended. Such promotion is available for officers of all branches of the Regular Army. It is unfair, however, to officers of other branches to give temporary promotion under Section 127a to a larger proportion of Air Corps officers than the officer strength of the Air Corps bears to the officer strength of the other branches. Temporary promotion of Regular Army Air Corps officers under Section 127a is, therefore, in practice considerably slower than the needs of the Army Air Forces require. This difficulty can in large part be obviated if temporary promotion by selection in the Air Corps does not involve command outside the Air Corps.

"Regular Army Air Corps officers may also be temporarily promoted, in order of seniority, to the grade of major, lieutenant colonel, and colonel under the Act of 16 June 1936 (49 Stat. 1525). Such promotion does not involve command outside of the Air Corps. It should, however, be extended to all grades below that of general officer and enlarged to permit promotion by selection in time of war or national emergency.

"Reserve officers whether in the Air Corps or other branches, assigned to duty with the Air Corps, may be promoted in the Army of the United States under Section 37 of the National Defense Act. War Department policy at present provides for the temporary promotion of this class of officers. Such promotion, however, again involves command outside the Air Corps and like promotion under Section 127a is slower than the occasion requires. It also frequently results in complications with respect to relative rank and command functions since a reserve officer temporarily promoted under Section 37 outranks and has wider command than a Regular Army officer temporarily promoted to the same grade at an earlier date under the Act of 16 June 1936, who subsequently receives a permanent promotion to that grade.

"The temporary promotion status of officers of the National Guard ordered into active military service of the United States with an Air Corps unit or assigned to duty with tactical units, installations, or staffs, of the Air Corps, is at present governed by War Department policy rather than by legislation. It is desirable to provide by law for the temporary promotion of such officers on the same basis as those of the other groups mentioned above.

"Officers commissioned directly in the Army of the United States are promoted on the same basis and subject to the same restrictions as officers in the Organized Reserve.

"The proposed bill would solve the difficulties outlined above by providing for a uniform system of temporary promotion. In order to meet the problem of relative rank in grade, the bill provides that officers temporarily promoted shall take rank in grade during the continuance of their temporary appointment from the date stated in their commissions or letters of appointment. A complication in this connection arises from the provisions of Section 4 of the Act of 16 June 1936 (49 Stat. 1525) providing for temporary promotion by seniority of certain Regular Army Air Corps officers. This act provides that upon becoming entitled to a permanent promotion, the commission of any officer temporarily promoted shall be vacated. This results in an officer taking rank in grade from the date of his permanent commission rather than from the date of his temporary appointment which is undesirable as it may operate to lower the relative rank in grade of an officer upon receiving his permanent pro-

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Promote Marine Commandant

The Senate this week passed legislation which would advance the commandant of the Marine Corps to the rank of lieutenant general.

The bill, S. 2094, would change the title of the commandant from "Major General Commandant of the Marine Corps" to "Commandant of the Marine Corps."

Senators Clark, of Mo., and Connally, of Texas, withheld their approval to the bill until assured by Naval Affairs Committee Chairman Walsh that the added rank would not be carried over into retirement.

"I have no objection to General Holcomb who is at the head of the Marine Corps," said Mr. Connally. "I think he is a splendid and able officer, and I shall not object to the bill; but I think that the War and Navy Departments ought to hold back some of the higher ranks so that they might be conferred on generals and admirals who render distinguished service in this war a little later on."

Mr. Connally raised similar objections when the nomination of General MacArthur to be a full general was brought before the Senate recently.

Army Generals Nominated

Two major generals of the Army this week were nominated to the Senate for appointment as lieutenant generals. They are Maj. Gen. Stanley D. Embick, USA-Ret., member of the American-Canadian Defense Commission, and Maj. Gen. George H. Brett, deputy supreme commander of the Southwest Pacific area.

General Brett, a colonel in the Air Corps, until recently was chief of the Air Corps. General Embick as commander of a field army before retirement held rank of lieutenant general once before.

Naval Hero Advanced

Immediately after releasing a communique which described his skill in fighting off an attack of 15 enemy planes, bringing one down, and damaging at least another, the Navy Department announced this week that Lt. Comdr. William L. Kabler, USN, commanding officer of the seaplane tender USS Heron has been advanced 30 numbers and awarded the Navy Cross by Adm. Thomas S. Hart, commander-in-chief of the Asiatic Fleet.

A graduate of the Naval Academy, Lieutenant Commander Kabler is a qualified naval aviator and served with the Aircraft Squadrons, Battle Fleet, and with Patrol Squadron of the Scouting Force. He later served with Observation Squadron 1, Battle Force, attached to the USS Oklahoma with Patrol Squadron 12.

The 1943 Budget

On 7 January President Roosevelt presented to Congress a budget which contemplated expenditure of $52,786,186,000 for defense alone by 30 June 1943.

These estimates followd by a day his statement that in 1943 the United States was going to build 125,000 airplanes, 10,000,000 tons of merchant ships, 60,000 tanks.

Actually, Mr. Roosevelt's requests for appropriations at this time are much lower than the amount mentioned above, but the amounts to be appropriated in the regular supply bills are merely preliminary.

By the end of 1943, it is expected that appropriations for that fiscal year, the current fiscal year, and the fiscal year 1941, will be about as follows, the first column showing the 1943 estimates, the second column the 1942 estimates, and the third column the amount actually spent in 1941:

Agency	FY '43	FY '42	FY '41
Navy Department	6,849,359,000	5,833,112,400	2,308,658,623.44
War Department	18,618,615,000	11,666,710,000	3,672,312,769.19
Defense aid (lend-lease)	7,500,000,000	3,500,000,000	21,394,691.36
Other	2,818,212,000	1,996,703,000	298,677,081.92
Supplemental items	17,000,000,000	1,000,000,000	.....
Total, national defense	52,786,186,000	23,996,525,400	6,301,043,165.91

"This is a war budget," said the President. "The details of a war program are, of course, in constant flux . . .

"Moreover, war plans are military secrets. Under these circumstances I cannot hereafter present details of future war appropriations. However, total appropriations and expenditures will be published so that the public may know the fiscal situation and the progress of the nation's effort.

"The defense program, including appropriations, contract authorizations, recommendations and commitments of government corporations, was 29 billion dollars on 3 Jan. 1941. During the last 12 months 46 billion dollars have been added to the program. Of this total of 75 billion dollars there remains 24 billion dollars for future obligation.

"In this budget I make an initial request for a war appropriation of 13.6 billion dollars for the fiscal year 1943. Large supplemental requests will be made as we move toward the maximum use of productive capacity.

"As against probable budgetary war expenditures of 24 billion dollars for the current fiscal year, our present objective calls for war expenditures of nearly 53 billion dollars for the fiscal year 1943."

A breakdown of requests by agencies follows:

WAR DEPARTMENT
Military Activities

For the military activities of the War Department, including salaries and expenses, $6,388,091,747 is requested for the fiscal year 1943. Actually, it is estimated that $18,618,615,000 will be spent during the year. Appropriations for the current fiscal year are estimated at $22,021,305,870, and expenditures at $11,666,710,000.

Exclusive of salaries and expenses of the department, the amount asked is $6,378,801,675. This amount includes funds to liquidate contract authorities already granted. No new contract authority is asked; estimates have been prepared on a cash basis.

Since the 1943 requests are admittedly not all the sums that will be asked, a comparison with 1942 appropriations is without meaning.

Among the amounts requested for 1943 are:

Office of the Secretary, $243,000.

For the General Staff Corps, $62,951,000, including $25,000,000 in the contingent fund of the Chief of Staff, $1,311,000 for miscellaneous expenses and military intelligence activities, and $36,640,000 for field exercises which shall remain available until 30 June 1944.

Army War College, $74,890.

Adjutant General's Department, $3,586,300; including $74,300 for the Command and General Staff School, and $3,512,000 for welfare of enlisted men.

Finance Department, $2,075,560,000, including Pay of the Army, $1,950,000,000 and travel of the Army, $116,000,000. There are no proposals to change any of the provisions and limitations now covering pay of the Army except to remove the limitation of the number of selectees in training, this limitation having been removed since passage of the 1942 act. Maximum pay for non-flying officers remains at $720.

Quartermaster Corps, $1,140,152,000; including subsistence, $349,148,000; clothing and equipage, $366,000,000; transportation, $318,048,000; horses and other animals, $693,000.

Signal Corps, $70,000,000. This sum is only one tenth of the $700,000,000 expected to be required during the fiscal year.

Air Corps, $1,358,000,000. Five billion dollars, or nearly the entire 1943 **request** for the Army, is expected to be **spent** for the Air Corps in 1943.

Medical Department, $85,016,000; $316,000 of which is asked for care of Canal Zone garrisons. The language of the appropriation act is changed to permit use of the funds for "operation of the Army Medical Library and Museum under the direct supervision of the Surgeon General."

Corps of Engineers, $222,028,000. Actual requirements in 1943 are estimated at $780,000,000, with principal increases over present requests being for engineer service, construction of posts and stations. Included in the total are $15,488,000 for engineer service, $64,838,000 for defense installations; $5,522,000 for posts; $131,033,000 for barracks and quarters, and $5,147,000 for construction and repair of hospitals.

Ordnance Department, $1,164,901,800. Actual expenditures during 1943 probably will be slightly over $7,000,000,000. The estimates include $1,161,137,000 for ordnance services and supply; $3,731,800 for arsenal repairs, and $33,000 for bridges at Rock Island Arsenal.

Chemical Warfare Service, $7,128,000. Actual expenditures during 1943 may total $30,000,000. The appropriation language has been changed specifically to include "purchase, manufacture, and test" of "incendiary materials and munitions."

Chief of Infantry, $205,615. Chief of Cavalry, $69,125. Armored Force, $485,000. Chief of Field Artillery, $92,330. Chief of Coast Artillery, $105,380. In addition, $68,043,000 is asked for seacoast defenses, with probability that $80,000,000 will be required for this purpose.

Military Academy, $4,031,000.

National Guard, $217,000. All other expenses ordinarily chargeable to National Guard appropriations are covered under other headings.

Organized Reserve, $1,081,000.

Citizens Military Training, $6,194,000. These funds are for the R. O. T. C. No funds have been asked for the C. M. T. C.

National Board for Promotion of Rifle Practice, $150,235.

Army of the Philippines, $107,547,000. In 1943, the estimated expenditure for the Army of the Philippines will be $250,000,000.

NAVY DEPARTMENT

Budget requests for the Navy Department for fiscal 1943 total $5,932,746,768. Expenditures for the year, however, are expected to be $6,849,359,000. The biggest single differences between present estimates and calculated expenditures are in maintenance of vessels and for the Coast Guard, which appears as a Navy item.

Speaking of the Navy estimates, the President said:

"The Naval estimates for the fiscal year 1943, exclusive of trust funds and contract authorizations, aggregate $5,932,746,768. The estimates provide for the liquidation of existing contract authorizations and for personnel, supplies, and material required to carry on expanded operations for the Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard during the fiscal year 1943."

The estimates are allocated to Bureaus and activities as follows:

Office of Secretary	$13,729,478
Navigation	73,244,560
Ships	330,404,935
Ordnance	511,635,413
Supplies and Accounts	868,798,933
Medicine and Surgery	19,971,470
Yards and Docks, including public works	238,774,165
Aeronautics	707,091,470
Marine Corps	161,633,610
Coast Guard	100,038,230
Increase and replacement of naval vessels	2,890,660,385
Naval Emergency Fund	10,000,000
Departmental salaries and contingent expenses	6,764,119
Total	5,932,746,768

A breakdown of the principal requests follows:

Office of Secretary, $13,729,478, includes $41,000 for care of lepers on Guam which has fallen into enemy hands since printing of the budget, $9,869,915 for miscellaneous expenses, $1,208,108 for the Naval Reserve Laboratory and $2,351,700 for defense housing.

Bureau of Navigation, $73,244,560; including training, welfare and education, $9,982,865; ocean and lake surveys, $120,525; naval reserve, $60,005,205; naval academy, $2,600,695, and Philadelphia Naval Home, $135,270.

Bureau of Ships, $330,404,935 for maintenance, with probable expenditures in 1943 under this heading placed at $750,000,000.

Bureau of Ordnance, $511,635,413 for ordnance stores.

Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, $868,798,933, as follows: Pay, subsistence, and transportation of Naval personnel, $770,816,588; maintenance, $50,116,345; clothing and small stores fund, $19,680,000; fuel and transportation, $28,186,000. Three changes are proposed to be made in the language of the pay appropriation acts. The limitation of nine on the number of flag officers who may draw flight pay is removed. The value of clothing given to men discharged for bad conduct, etc., is raised from $15 to $25, though the Congress recently refused the Navy this increase on a specific request. The value of the midshipmen's subsistence ration is increased from 75 to 80 cents a day.

Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, $19,971,470.

Bureau of Yards and Docks, $238,774,165.

Bureau of Aeronautics, $707,091,470. It is expected that one billion dollars will be spent in 1943.

Marine Corps, $161,633,610; including pay, $92,248,490; general expenses, $68,746,500, and pay of civil employees, $638,620.

Coast Guard, $100,038,230; including pay and allowances, $53,000,100; acquisition of vessels and shore facilities, $21,636,550; general expenses, $16,735,785; replacement and additional airplanes, $867,000; aids to navigation, $2,500,000.

Increase and replacement of naval vessels, $2,890,660,385; including $2,350,487,190 for construction and machinery; $540,173,195 for armor, armament and ammunition.

In the appropriations authority is sought to induct 200,000 selectees into the Navy and 20,000 into the Marine Corps. Congress recently gave authority to induct 50,000 and 10,000, respectively.

MARITIME COMMISSION

"The estimates for the Maritime Commission for the fiscal year 1943 total $980,380,000, of which $980,080,000 is for the construction fund and $300,000 for State marine schools," the budget stated. "The 1943 estimates provide a net increase of $121,540,000 over the amounts appropriated for 1942 due primarily to the necessity for making progress payments on a considerably greater number of ships under construction. Provision is also made for an increase of contract authorizations for ship construction in the amount of $90,000,000."

Actually, expenditures by the Maritime Commission are expected to amount to $1,675,300,000 in 1943.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Appropriations asked for the Public Health Service in 1943 are $41,147,220, as compared with $37,551,458 appropriated in 1942.

COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

For the Coast and Geodetic Survey, $4,144,750 is asked.

"Increases aggregating $221,145 are recommended for the Coast and Geodetic Survey," said the President. "This amount consists of $29,000 for part-year operation of a new vessel to be completed within the year and for aerial photographic surveys; $4,705 for an additional field magnetic survey party; $30,000 for increased cost of vessel repairs; $5,000 for additional vessel crews; $22,000 for automatic pay increases of commissioned officers and to fill vacancies, $31,090 for additional office personnel for hydrographic chart revisions and for within-grade promotions, and $99,350 for additional personnel, chart paper and supplies, and an additional press for the revision of aeronautical maps. Against these increases are reductions of $479,000 for nonrecurring vessel construction and items of office expense in the 1942 appropriations, resulting in a net reduction of $257,955 for the Survey in 1943."

Did You Read—

the following important service stories last week:

Army to take married men as aviation cadets and aviation students?

Chief Signal Officer has brigadier general assistant?

Early hearings on Navy warrant legislation?

Army to reduce minimum age for officers to 19?

If not you did not read the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL. You cannot obtain this information from any other source.

Pearl Harbor "Back In Ring"

A Navy Bulletin published at the Navy Yard, Pearl Harbor, T. H., just six days after the Japanese attack, voiced defiance of the Axis in the following proclamation:

"We took a punch on the chin, but we are now back in the ring swinging and if that word 'morale' is what we think it is, God help our Axis enemies —they are going to need it. If we could only tell you of the many examples of guts, intelligence and action from the highest rank to the lowest rating that we observed last Sunday morning, you would agree with us, and in time, history will record these deeds of valor.

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Require Aviators to Insure

Legislation to require that commissioned and enlisted pilots continue the life insurance which is furnished to them at government expense while they are undergoing pilot training was asked this week by the War Department.

Senate Military Committee Chairman Reynolds introduced the department's bill as S. 2130.

In a letter to Congress, Secretary of War Stimson pointed out that about 20 per cent of graduates fail to continue their insurance and this number "will tend to increase as younger students are accepted, who, on account of their youth, will be more apt to neglect their current financial responsibilities to dependents or to provide adequately for the future."

The proposed bill would provide that the premium on insurance "shall be deducted from the pay of the officer or enlisted man concerned and paid to the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, provided, that upon permanent relief from duty involving participation in regular and frequent aerial flights, release from active duty, or discharge, such officers and enlisted men shall have the option of continuing such insurance at their own expense."

An enlisted pilot discharged and reenlisted shall not be deemed to have been "discharged" under the bill if he continues aerial flights.

Three Navy Selection Boards

Three Navy Selection Boards are scheduled to convene at the Navy Department early next week.

Capt. Robert D. Workman, (ChC), USN, is president of the board which will meet to select and recommend for promotion lieutenant commanders, lieutenants, and lieutenants of the Chaplain Corps, Regular Navy, and the Chaplain Corps, Naval Reserve, for promotion to the next higher grade.

Membership of this board is composed of the following captains of the Chaplain Corps, USN; Roy L. Lewis, William W. Elder, Joseph T. Casey, John W. Moore, and William N. Thomas. Comdr. William H. Rafferty (ChC), USN, will serve as recorder for the dual board.

Capt. Paul L. Reed, (CEC), USN-Ret., has been appointed president of a board which will select lieutenant commanders, lieutenants, and lieutenants (jg) of the Civil Engineer Corps, Naval Reserve, for promotion to the next higher grade.

Members of this board are Capt. DeWitt C. Webb, (CEC), USN-Ret., Commanders John N. Laycock, Hugo C. Fischer, and Lewis N. Moeller, (CEC) USN, and Comdr. Vernon R. Dunlap, CEC-V(S), USNR. Lt. (jg) Don Johnstone, CEC-V(S), USNR, will serve as recorder.

THE UNITED STATES ARMY

Coast Artillery School

The following enlisted men were graduated 3 Jan. 1942 from the Coast Artillery School, Ft. Monroe, Va. At exercises held in the Post Theatre, certificates of graduation were presented by Brig. Gen. Frank S. Clark, USA.

Each of the men whose name heads the various groups is the ranking student in his particular group.

ELECTRICAL

Searchlight Electricians, AA

Regular Army—Alfred A. Oelkers, Edward J. Pavelka, George D. Wampler, Bernard B. Kordner, Edwin C. Hudgens, Owen W. Higgins, Duncan A. Dottin, Malcolm R. Menghini, Leslie I. Anderson, John W. King, John J. Delaney, jr.

National Guard—Kenneth G. Nordquist, Richard D. Borland, Gordon A. Kennedy, Vernon J. Leduc, Ralph E. Page.

Fire Control Electricians, AA

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National Guard—John H. Roberson, Robert C. Thompson, Billie C. Williams, Edward N. Morrell, Myron J. Hrisko, Wilbur L. Garrick, Gustav P. Richmann, Michael R. Gallinoto, Joseph F. Scaglione, David A. Rauh, Harold B. Davis.

Harbor Defense Electricians

Regular Army—Judson C. Van Matre, Albert H. Duckwitz, Abe J. Chislov, Henry E. Jackson, Ernest A. Vass, jr., George W. Bossler, Joseph R. Anderson, Francis L. Coombs.

National Guard—Raymond A. Higgins, William L. Lewis, Francis A. DeGruchy, Peter Augustinos, Allen Berman, Carl M. Kennedy.

RADIO

Regular Army—Y. M. Lannou, Philip L. Adams, Chalmer F. Post, Roy O. Warren, Louis Friedenthal, Harry Weitzner, Emil W. Kreusling, John T. Stephens.

National Guard—Norman E. White, George D. Pugsley, Alfred Cohn, Thomas F. Glenn, jr., Richman Manhertz, Charles Pyle.

RADIO COMMUNICATION

Regular Army—Robert R. Leonard, Harold H. Zehr, Clarence E. Howard, jr., Nicholas A. Kromydas, Reginald W. Shrader, Edward S. Porter, Thomas W. Gysin, John F. Thompson, Homer A. Winters.

National Guard—Albert Kuehne, John W. Castle, jr., Philip J. Conroy, Thomas R. Willim, George E. Sanders, Robert J. Johnson.

AUTOMOTIVE

Regular Army—Herschel A. Howell, Marshall H. Booth, Wenford E. Gresham, Floyd E. Venable, Robert L. Pennycoff, Jack Dandrea, jr., Gilbert J. Pohl, Edward T. Williams, Robert D. Runner, Watsy H. Mason, Allen F. Butler, James C. Snowden, Ralph A. Young, Cecil M. Crawford, Irwin Price, Thomas G. Dunning, Marion E. Melheim.

National Guard—Arnold R. Hess, Francis M. Leé.

TRUCKMASTERS AND MECHANICS

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National Guard—Herbert H. Murray, Ross O. Brown, Woodburg L. Berce, jr., Donald Wallace, Glenn W. Camps, Stephen G. Cliffe, Thomas A. Underwood, jr., Olin Gillespie, Joseph O. Cicciu, Robert E. Kukuruza, Armand H. Mollenhauer, Aubrey H. Fawcett, Peter G. Daniels, jr.

MASTER GUNNER

Regular Army—Zevel Berman, Anthony P. Cupo, Ernest F. Bean, jr., John E. Haight, Paul E. Wight, Philip F. Hall, Floyd A. Hatfield, Ronald W. Wandling, Harold A. Petterson, Benjamni Danziger, Auston M. Wilson, III, Harrn N. Roller, Charles E. Patterson.

National Guard—Sherd W. Baker, Ellwood F. Schell, John M. Britten, jr., Arthur P. Murphy, jr., James V. Grasso, Trevor J. Marshall, Wallace Michalenz, John J. Lemay.

Medical Training Center

The activation of a Medical Department Replacement Training Center at Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark., effective 15 Jan., will bring to 22,000 the number of medical trainees that can be trained in one training cycle, officials in the Office of the Surgeon General explained this week. The center at Camp Robinson will have a capacity of 7,000, which will augment the capacities of 8,000 at Camp Lee, Va., 7,000 at Camp Grant, Ill., and 4,000 at Camp Barkeley, Tex.,—other Medical Department replacement training centers. Of the total figure of 26,000, approximately 4,000 constitutes overhead personnel, while the figure of 22,000 represents actual trainees for each cycle.

Pending the arrival of the commanding officer at Camp Robinson on 15 Feb., Col. Frank S. Matlack, MC, executive officer, has been placed in charge of all medical training activities at the camp.

At the same time, Medical Department officers state that plans are now being drawn up for increasing the training capacity at Camp Barkeley and also to perhaps increase the capacity at Camp Robinson. These officials said that in every case the number of trainees would be increased to the maximum of housing facilities available.

Majors to Lt. Col.

Three groups of Army officers were promoted to temporary rank of lieutenant colonel by the War Department this week, as that agency completed plans to install its wartime system of decentralized promotions.

A total of 892 promotions were made in the three groups, names of the officers appearing in this weeks War Department orders.

The first group began with No. 1394 on the promotion list of majors in the 20 April 1941 Army Directory and ended with No. 1789; a total of 297 promotions being made out of a group of approximately 395 files.

The second group of 308 began with No. 1790, exhausted the majors as of 20 April 1941 and went down to No. 184 on the list of captains in that directory. The third group of 287 began with No. 185 on the list of captains and ended with No. 571.

General Wood Appointed

Brig. Gen. Robert E. Wood, USA-Ret., former national chairman of the America First Committee, was this week appointed a civilian adviser to the Chicago Ordnance District. His appointment was announced by Col. Donald Armstrong, OD, chief of the Chicago District.

Enlistment Allowance for Regulars

A National Guard technical sergeant who served a one-year National Guard enlistment in federal service was denied a $50 reenlistment bonus by the Comptroller General when the noncommissioned officer sought to enlist in the Regular Army.

The Comptroller General held that the enlistment allowance authorized in section 9 of the pay act of 1922 is not payable on an original enlistment in the Regular Army following completion of an enlistment in a reserve component of the Army of the United States, and, therefore, an enlisted man of the National Guard is not entitled to the said allowance for enlistment in the Regular Army following discharge from service under an enlistment in the National Guard, even though during the entire period of his National Guard enlistment the organization of which he was a member was in the service of the United States.

Promote General Mitchell

The Senate Committee on Military Affairs this week recommended enactment of legislation, S. J. Res. 109, which would give posthumous rank of brigadier general to the late William Mitchell, a rank which that officer held before conviction on charges of insubordination in pressing his demands for increased air power.

The committee's action followed closely upon a statement by the War Department that it would not oppose the legislation.

Reserve Officers Meet

With speeches by General George C. Marshall, Chief of Staff, and Senator Connally, of Texas, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, the National Council of the Reserve Officers' Association of the United States highlighted its annual meeting in Washington last night.

The speech of Senator Connally was broadcast during the annual dinner of the association at 10:45 p.m., over the Blue network of the National Broadcasting Company.

The annual meeting of the National Council was opened 8 Jan. with an all-day session at the Hotel Washington. Principal speaker of the day was Brig. Gen. Frank E. Lull, executive for Reserve Affairs, who discussed the new War Department promotion policies, effect of new age limits on service with troops upon reserve officers, probability of active duty for Reserve officers not now on duty, and other personnel matters affecting Reserve officers. The session was led by Lt. Col. James P. Hollers, Dent.-Res., of San Antonio, Texas, president of the R. O. A.

Another all-day session was scheduled for yesterday, 9 Jan., and a morning session today, 10 Jan., is probable.

About 75 national officers, committee chairmen, corps area and state presidents are attending the meetings.

Corps Area Quartermaster

Col. Edwin C. Gere, QMC, Headquarters Sixth Corps Area, has been announced as Corps Area Quartermaster.

Soldiers' Educational Program

A group of selected Army officers at each post will begin on Monday, 12 Jan., a series of 15 lectures to soldiers of their command on current history, placing primary emphasis on the military aspects of the world situation. Supplementing these lectures to be given twice a week will be a continuing program of short informal talks by company officers, interpreting the day-by-day news from the viewpoint of America's military situation.

The soldier-educational program has been placed under the direction of Col. Herman Beukema, Professor of Economics, Government and History at the Military Academy, who was called to Washington on temporary duty for the purpose of planning the program.

The course will be amplified by outstanding civilian speakers, who will include Arnold Whitridge, Yale University, Bruce Hopper, Harvard, Douglas G. Haring, Syracuse, Earl Cruickshank, Vanderbilt, Frank Graham, President of the University of North Carolina, Vilhjalmur Steffansson, explorer, Tyler Dennet, foreign expert and former President of Williams College, Herbert Agar, Raymond Clapper, Hanson W. Baldwin, Edgar Mowrer, and Carl Crow.

New Enlisted Grades

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technicians are authorized and specialists' ratings eliminated are now being prepared. Upon completion they will be sent to commanding officers authorized to appoint non-commissioned officers, who, will then direct that enlisted men holding specialist's ratings be disrated effective the first day of the following month. Appointments to the new technicians' grades will be made effective the same date within the new allotments. It is not required, however, that an enlisted man disrated from a specialists' rating be appointed to any particular grade. On the same date, necessary re-appointments from staff sergeants, sergeants and corporals to the corresponding technician grades will be made to agree with the new allotments.

The authority under which the disrating and re-appointments will be made also provides that:

"Until 30 June, 1942, the disrating of privates, first class holding 5th and 6th class specialists' ratings is not mandatory. However, the numbers of privates and privates, first class, prescribed in the new allotments to organizations or Tables of Organization will be the number authorized in each grade after specialists' ratings have been eliminated. In making promotions on or after the effective date of the new allotment to an organization, if any specialists' 5th and 6th class ratings are retained, the following compensating changes will be complied with:

"(a) Decrease the number specified for 6th grade by a number equal to the sum of the number of 5th class ratings and one-half the number of 6th class ratings retained.

"(b) Increase the number specified for 7th grade by the same amount.

"(2) Specialists 5th and 6th class, if not absorbed by 30 June, 1942, will be disrated on that date."

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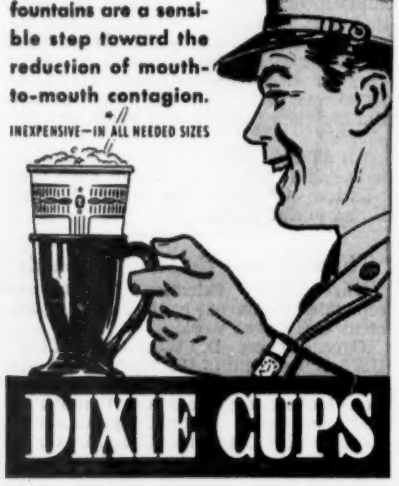

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U. S. War Communiques

War Dept., No. 40, 1 Jan.

Philippine Theatre: Despite heavy enemy attacks attempting to break up our troop movements, the maneuver designed to regroup the two forces of American and Philippine troops opposing the Japanese in the north and the southeast has been successfully accomplished. All available defending forces have now been united. In addition to the land positions, the harbor defenses and island fortifications are strongly held by our troops.

General Douglas MacArthur, commanding the United States Army Forces in the Far East, has submitted a report to the War Department dealing with the internment and surveillance of enemy aliens in the Manila area. Although our troops were fully occupied in combat operations, every requirement of international law was carefully observed in dealing with Japanese subjects residing in the Philippines. Approximately 175 Japanese civilians were placed under close guard in an internment camp near Manila. About 3000 other subjects of Japan in other localities were placed under surveillance to protect them against possible mob violence. This action was taken at the urgent request of the Japanese Consul General at Manila. Every consideration was shown both to those interned and to those under surveillance and every reasonable provision was made for their comfort. Police protection was extended to Japanese property. The hope was expressed that this generous treatment of Japanese subjects by American and Philippine authorities would result in reciprocal treatment by Japan of American and Philippine civilians residing in regions now occupied by Japanese troops.

War Dept., No. 41, 2 Jan.

1. Philippine Theatre: Advance elements of Japanese troops entered Manila at 3:00 P. M., 2 January, 1942 (Manila time). It is reported that these troops were limited to a size necessary for police duties and maintenance of order.

All American and Philippine troops were withdrawn from the city several days ago and all defense installations were removed or destroyed. Many of the wounded American and Philippine soldiers were evacuated from the Manila area on 31 December, 1941, and are now en route to Australia.

The tactical situation in the vicinity of Manila necessitated a radical readjustment of the lines held by American and Philippine troops and a consolidation of defense forces north of Manila. This maneuver was successfully accomplished in the face of strong enemy opposition. The consequent shortening of our lines necessarily uncovered the road to Manila and made possible the Japanese entrance into the city. As it had been previously declared an open city, no close defense within the environs of the city was possible.

The loss of Manila, while serious, has not lessened the resistance to the Japanese attacks. American and Philippine troops are occupying strong positions north of the city and are holding the fortified island of Corregidor and the other defenses of Manila Bay effectively, preventing the use of this harbor by the enemy.

During the past twenty-four hours there has been heavy fighting on the ground with repeated enemy attacks from the north. Japanese air activity is somewhat less in intensity than for several days.

A landing of a small enemy force was effected at Jolo in the Sulu Archipelago in the south of the Philippine group.

War Dept., No. 42, 2 Jan.

Philippine Theatre: American and Philippine troops, north and northwest of Manila are continuing to resist stubborn Japanese attacks which are being pressed with increasing intensity.

Navy Dept., No. 23, 2 Jan.

The U. S. Naval Base at Cavite was evacuated before the enemy entered Manila. All records, equipment, and stores that were not destroyed by bombing were removed prior to evacuation by Naval personnel. All industrial and supply facilities, including fuel were destroyed. The personnel of the Naval hospital remained at their posts at the Naval hospital, Canacao, to care for the wounded. All ships and Naval personnel were removed from the Manila-Cavite area prior to enemy occupation.

War Dept., No. 43, 3 Jan.

Philippine Theatre: Corregidor Island in Manila Bay sustained a five-hour aerial bombardment yesterday. The enemy air force attacking the island was composed of at least sixty bombers. There was no material damage to installations on the island. Our casualties resulting from this attack were thirteen killed and thirty-five wounded. At least three enemy planes were shot down by anti-aircraft fire.

There was a marked lessening of enemy ground attacks. American and Philippine troops were consolidated in new positions, where organized resistance to Japanese attacks will be intensified.

Enemy airplanes were active in the region occupied by our ground forces.

War Dept., No. 44, 4 Jan.

Philippine Theater: Corregidor Island in Manila Bay sustained another attack by heavy Japanese bombing planes last night. Twenty-one enemy planes attacked the fortifications for half an hour, causing only minor damage to installations and inflicting slight casualties. Four enemy bombers were shot down and others damaged by our anti-aircraft batteries.

Enemy air attacks were also made on the area north of Manila.

Ground operations were resumed with enemy pressure on our troops in Pampanga province, northwest of Manila.

General Douglas MacArthur, commanding the United States Army Forces in the Far East, has received reports from Manila indicating discrimination against Americans by the occupying Japanese forces, in marked contrast to the treatment previously accorded Japanese civilians by American troops.

While the treatment of American civilians is especially harsh, the Japanese are discriminating against all white residents of Manila. The occupying troops have issued instructions that all white civilians in Manila, irrespective of nationality, must remain indoors, under penalty of being shot if they appear on the streets. These instructions imply the contemplated internment of the white population of the city, without regard to citizenship. Apparently subjects of Germany and Italy, allies of Japan, as well as citizens of neutral countries, such as Spaniards of whom there are many in Manila, are included in the general discrimination against the white race.

Propaganda pamphlets have been distributed by Japanese airplanes in an effort to persuade native soldiers to cease resistance. Included in these pamphlets are abusive attacks on the white race.

War Dept., No. 45, 5 Jan.

Philippine Theater: A strong Japanese attack on American and Philippine troops northwest of Manila on Sunday was repulsed with heavy enemy losses. It is estimated that at least 700 of the enemy were killed in this attack. Our losses were relatively small. This was one of the most serious reverses suffered by the Japanese invaders since the war began.

The tactics pursued by the Japanese in the invasion of Luzon contemplated crushing the greatly outnumbered defenders between two invading forces operating as pincers from the north and south. The Japanese trap was closed but American and Philippine troops were not in the jaws. To this extent the Japanese strategy failed, necessitating yesterday's frontal attack, which likewise failed.

Enemy air attacks on the fortified island of Corregidor were renewed yesterday, for the third successive day. Fifty-two Jauanese bombers participated in the attack which continued for three hours. Material damage and casualties were slight. Our antiaircraft batteries shot down four Japanese bombers. Four more were hit but reports of their destruction were not confirmed.

War Dept., No. 46 5 Jan.

Philippine Theater: A formation of heavy American Army bombers attacked enemy naval vessels off Davao on the Island of Mindanao, scoring three directs hits on a Japanese battleship and sinking an enemy destroyer. Other hits were made on other enemy vessels with undertermined damage. All of our planes returned to their base uninjured.

Navy Dept., No. 24, 5 Jan.

Far East: The USS Heron, a small seaplane tender, while engaged in action with enemy planes over a period of seven hours sustained one direct bomb hit and three very near misses. The Heron was attacked by a total of ten four-engined flying boats and five twin-engined land plane bombers. Forty-six 100-pound bombs were dropped by the enemy planes and three torpedoes were launched at her sides. Due to very skillful handling, the ship was most courageously fought against overwhelming odds, and destroyed one four-engined flying boat, badly damaged at least one other and probably more. The ship though receiving damage from one bomb that found its mark managed to reach port safely. The Commander-in-Chief of the Asiatic Fleet, Thomas S. Hart, in accordance with an order of the Secretary of the Navy has awarded the Navy Cross to the Commanding Officer, Lt. William Leverette Kabler and recommended that he be advanced immediately to the rank of Lieutenant Commander. Further recommendations regarding other personnel will be made at a later date.

It has been ascertained from late information that the patients and staff at the Naval Hospital, Canacao, near Cavite, were evacuated to Manila prior to the occupation of that city by the enemy.

Atlantic Area: The merchant ship Marconi flying the Panamanian flag but reported to be of Italian ownership was captured and brought into Cristobal, Canal Zone nad turned over to the courts for adjudication.

The submarine situation in the Atlantic Area and off the West Coast of the United States remains unchanged.

The Hawaiian area was quiet.

War Dept., No. 47, 6 Jan.

Philippine Theater: The fortifications of Manila Bay, including Corregidor Island and Mariveles, were again heavily bombed by enemy planes yesterday. The bombardment continued for four hours with fifty planes participating. Material damage and casualties were light. At least seven enemy planes were hit by our antiaircraft fire.

While ground activity was considerably less than on the previous day, enemy pressure is continuing on all American and Philippine outposts.

War Dept., No. 48, 6 Jan.

Philippine Theater: Additional information received relative to the successful attack by American Army bombing planes on units of the Japanese navy near Davao indicates that the damage inflicted on enemy vessels was probably greater than was first reported. The Japanese fleet consisted of one battleship, five cruisers, six destroyers, twelve submarines and twelve transports. As previously reported, three direct hits were scored on the battleship and it now seems probable that more than one destroyer was sunk. Numerous hits on other vessels are believed to have caused extensive damage.

The Commanding General, United States Army Forces in the Far East, reports that occupying Japanese troops in Manila are circulating large quantities of paper money in various denominations. These bills are clever imitations in color and texture of Philippine currency, substituting the Japanese government for the Commonwealth government. Large amounts of these bills have apparently been issued to Japanese soldiers. The nature of the currency indicates that it was prepared a long time in advance of the invasion and is further proof of the long-range preparation of the Japanese for the attack on the Philippines.

War Dept., No. 49, 7 Jan.

Philippine Theater: Heavy fighting has been resumed along the entire front with the enemy increasing pressure at all points. Front lines of American and Philippine troops are being continuously bombed and machine-gunned by enemy aircraft. Defending troops are continuing their steady and valiant resistance.

The fortifications on Corregidor Island and installations on Bataan Peninsula again were bombed for several hours yesterday. The extent of damage and casualties has not yet been determined. It is estimated that at least forty-five bombers participated in this attack. Several hostile planes were hit by our anti-aircraft fire.

War Dept., No. 50, 7 Jan.

Philippine Theater: General Douglas MacArthur, Commanding General of the United States Army Forces in the Far East, has received reports of widespread damage to defenseless towns in Luzon by Japanese air raids. These attacks took place at various times during the invasion and were without military value to the enemy.

Among the towns mercilessly bombed were Baler, Santa Rosa, Calamba and Tarlac, all of which were completely razed. Many natives were killed in these attacks. None of these towns contained any military installations. During the last few days civilians in Arayat, Camiling, San Fernando and other towns were machine-gunned in the streets by low-flying enemy planes.

The Japanese apparently deliberately chose Sundays and religious holidays for these attacks knowing that on such days a large number of civilians would be attending church or on the streets. The first attack was made on Sunday, 7 Dec., 1941, and on each subsequent Sunday and on Christmas and New Year's Day enemy air attacks have been particularly heavy. As was the case in Manila, the churches in the towns and villages were made the special objects of attack. Each church is an outstanding landmark and its distinctive character is readily apparent, hence the destruction of places of worship was obviously premeditated.

War Dept., No. 51, 8 Jan.

Philippine Theater: Fighting of varying intensity is reported from all sections of the front. These operations are probably preparatory to a large-scale general attack by the enemy. Japanese reinforcements are being brought up to the front and indications point to a renewal of the offensive by the enemy. General MacArthur reports that the morale and determination of the American and Philippine troops are high and that they may be counted on to continue their resistance with skill and courage.

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Limited Marine Corps Reserve

This House and Senate Naval Affairs Committees this week reported identical measures, S. 2169 and H. R. 6303, creating a limited service Marine Corps Reserve.

The reserve would be composed of men between 30 or 45, or with physical defects preventing enlistment in the Regular Marine Corps. After the usual basic recruit training, these men would be assigned to naval facilities as guards, relieving an equivalent number of regular Marines for combat service.

Plans are to induct 1,000 of these reservists each month for six months, but it was revealed, that ultimately 12,000 may be employed, since that is the number of guards eventually expected to be required.

Men would receive pay of other Marines, except that pay would start at $30, instead of $21, and men of all grades would be entitled to the quarters and subsistence allowances paid to Regular Marines of the first three grades. This proviso will permit enlistment of married men for service in their local communities, such men to live with their families.

New Naval Academy Head

Rear Adm. John R. Beardall, USN, Naval Aide to the President, was ordered this week to duty as Superintendent of the Naval Academy and as Commandant of the Severn River Naval Command, to succeed Rear Adm. Russell Willson, USN, who has been made Chief of Staff for Adm. Ernest J. King, USN, commander-in-chief of the United States Fleet.

At the same time, it was announced that Capt. John L. McCrea, USN, presently serving as Aide to Adm. Harold R. Stark, USN, Chief of Naval Operations, will assume new duties as Naval Aide to the President.

Visits Electric Boat Plant

Rear Adm. Harry E. Yarnell, USN-Ret., representing the Secretary of the Navy, today inspected the shipbuilding plant of the Electric Boat Company at Groton, Conn. on 6 Jan.

After visiting virtually every part of the plant, where submarines are being turned out at a rate faster than ever achieved in this country before, Admiral Yarnell, accompanied by Rear Adm. C. A. Dunn, USN, Supervisor of Shipbuilding, for the Navy, at the Electric Boat Company Plant, stood in front of the building ways where the Navy's newest submarines are being rushed to completion twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week.

Workmen swarmed over the boats and the din of hammers and riveting was terrific. It was impossible to hear normal voices, although the Admirals were almost ear to ear.

Finally Admiral Yarnell clapped his hands and shouted to Admiral Dunn: "That is the sweetest music I have heard in a long time."

"There will be even sweeter tunes these boats will play when they are finished and out in action." Admiral Dunn shouted back.

"What a pity we can't bring everybody in the United States around the shipyards," Admiral Yarnell remarked as he turned away. "If we could," he added, "there wouldn't be much doubt in any civilian's mind as to who was going to win this war."

In one of the shops Admiral Yarnell stopped to speak a word of encouragement or give a pat on the back to some of the workmen. One, engaged in an intricate piece of work, with his back to the Admiral, in response to the pat on his shoulder, and not knowing who it was, shouted back: "Stop bothering me I am a busy man."

The Admiral saluted the workman, nodded and walked off with a big smile.

As he continued on, another workman explained the situation to the busy one, the busy one dropped his tools and ran up to the Admiral with an apology.

"No apology necessary," the Admiral smiled shaking hands, "that is the kind of answer we like to hear."

Congratulating the officials of the company, he said: "When I report to the Secretary of the Navy, the Secretary's face is going to be red—with pride."

Senate Confirms Navy Nominations

The Senate this week confirmed the nominations of Captains John R. Beardall, Willis A. Lee, jr., William R. Purnell, Theodore S. Wilkinson, William W. Smith, and Olaf M. Hustvedt, USN, to be temporary rear admirals, and at the same time also confirmed the nomination of Col. Charles D. Barrett, USMC, to be brigadier general, and those of Maj. George W. McHenry, USMC, and Capt. John S. Letcher, USMC, to be lieutenant colonel and major, respectively.

Other nominations confirmed this week were those of seven Marine Corps officers to be captains. These officers are John A. Anderson, Jack Tabor, Ferdinand Bishop, Cliff Atkinson, jr., John F. Schoettel, Marlowe C. Williams, and Maynard C. Schultz. The nomination of Joel B. Laseter to be a second lieutenant in the Marine Corps was also confirmed, as was the nomination of Stelphen J. Zsiga to be a chief marine gunner.

Housing for Junior Officers

Conferees of the House and Senate late this week held an initial meeting to iron out differences between Senate and House versions of H. R. 6128, an act to expedite provision of housing in connection with the national defense program.

Of especial service interest is a Senate amendment to the bill which would add to those eligible to be placed in defense housing at low rentals officers of the Army and Marine Corps not above grade of captain, and officers of the Navy and Coast Guard not above rank of lieutenant. Low cost housing at present is available for enlisted men and defense workers.

Promotion of Fitted Officers

The Senate Naval Affairs Committee this week recommended enactment of a Navy Department measure which would make eligible for further selection Navy officers who were designated as fitted but not to be retained, and who would not have been retained except for Congressional prohibition against involuntary retirement of any officer during the emergency.

At the same time, Representative Vinson, of Ga., introduced an identical measure into the House as H. R. 6305.

The Senate measure, S. 2095, was approved by the Naval Committee after department representatives pointed out that it was made necessary by a decision of the Judge Advocate General that present legislation would not permit a group of 178 officers now on duty to be considered again by selection boards. Of these 178 officers, 131 will complete during the coming fiscal year four years of service since their adjudgement as fitted, but will not be eligible for further promotion no matter how good their records may be.

Of the 178 fitted but not retained officers now on active duty nine are captains, 72 are commanders and 97 are lieutenant commanders. During the coming fiscal year 34 of the commanders and all of the lieutenant commanders will become eligible for selection if the measure is passed.

The bill will make only three fitted Marine officers eligible for further selection—a colonel, a lieutenant colonel and a major.

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Raise Flag at Ft. Greely, Alaska

Ft. Greely, Kodiak, Alaska—At an impressive ceremony here recently, the Stars and Stripes were formally raised for the first time over this newest of American outposts and Ft. Greely assumed the dignity and stature of a "grown-up" garrison.

With Brig. Gen. Charles H. Corlett, new commander, making his first appearance before the massed troops, the garrison flag was hoisted to the top of the new flagpole, erected in record time by the engineer detachment.

All present held their breaths as the red, White and Blue banner hesitated in the light breeze but just as it reached the top and the notes of the "Star Spangled Banner" reached their cresendo, the huge flag broke gloriously and whipped in a freshening wind as a dramatic finale to an historic occasion.

In a brief address, General Corlett emphasized the rare opportunity for service and adventure enjoyed by troops of the Alaska Defense Command and quoted from a poem by Service:

"Honor the high North
"Ever and ever;
"Go to her bosom,
"Cherish and love her.
"Whether she bless you
"Or whether she slay,
"Those who would rule
"Must learn to obey."

Four veterans of the World War, again on active duty, acted as guard of honor. They were Lt. Col. Clyde W. Wellen, Maj. Joseph T. Hodges, Capt. Wm. H. Costlow and Capt. Stewart P. Dillon.

Meanwhile, this outpost is humming with activity. As the training program continues and construction is rushed on service clubs and other recreational facilities, the opportunities for enjoying Alaska's famed outdoor pursuits are being exploited to the limit. Hardly a man has failed to cast his line for the trout or salmon with which the bays and streams abound, or has not explored the wonders of the mountains.

The little Kodiak community has little to offer in the way of recreation but the men are learning to fashion their own diversions from the wonders of this primitive area, "America's Last Frontier."

Medical Treatment in Hawaii

"Because it was Sunday and because of the news just received, I told the audience that my text would be, 'Be Ye Ready, For In Such An Hour Ye Know Not.' Just then the secretary of the Medical Society rushed down the aisle and shouted, 'Ten surgeons are needed at once at Tripler General Hospital.' Twenty minutes later I was in the operating room and remained there until after 7 P. M."

Thus, Col. John J. Moorhead, noted New York physician, begins a letter released this week by Governor Herbert H. Lehman, of New York, in which is presented a graphic description of medical activities in Honolulu on eventful 7 Dec., and which has only high praise for actions of medical personnel in the treatment of victims of the air attack. Colonel Moorehead had previously delivered two lectures to Army and Navy medical officers in Honolulu and was beginning his third and final address on "Wounds, Civil and Military," when it was shouted out that "ten surgeons are needed at once at Tripler General Hospital!"

In his letter to Governor Lehman, Colonel Moorehead, a World War physician, said, "I had never, even in the Argonne, seen casulties of a more severe type—and I may add, never before, in civil or military life, have I seen such good results." He said that, "most of our patients came from the air fields not far away, and during a part of the morning they were actually in our operating rooms again under fire. Their fortitude and morale were excellent, and the same can be said for the entire formation. Indeed, courage was the common and not the unusual attribute here, as well as among the civilians in the city. A couple of holes through the operating room ceiling were regarded as part of the show," he told Governor Lehman, "and during it all there was no sign of panic."

"Strange as it may seem," Colonel Moorhead continued, "some of the surgeons from the city were Japanese, and by far the majority of the population are of that race. But there was no hostility towards them and apparently they shared with us the bitter resentment at being attacked by a supposedly friendly nation with whom at that very moment we were in conference."

Colonel Moorhead, who is credited with the development of many modern methods of treating wounds, outlined six reasons for the success in the treatment of victims at Honolulu. He said that the "great success we have had is due to the prompt receipt of the injured; the use of transfusions; the technical operative procedure known as debridement—exercising damaged tissue; no suturing; the use of new sulfa drugs; and excellent after care."

He said that he would recommend to the Surgeon General that young surgeons be trained in special centers where they can be taught this new form of war surgery, for "it is vastly different from civil surgery."

U. S. COAST GUARD

IN another move to bring its officer strength up to wartime requirements, the Coast Guard will inaugurate on or about 1 Feb. a special training course designed to train cadets in groups of 200 for commissions in the Coast Guard Reserve. The course, duration of which is limited to four months, will be conducted at the Coast Guard Academy, New London, Conn., and will be under the direction of Capt. James Pine, USCG, Superintendent of the Academy.

Applicants for the officers' course must have a bachelor of science degree, with at least two one-semester credit units of mathematics. Rear Adm. Russell R. Waesche, Coast Guard Commandant, said this week that applications are already being received at Coast Guard Headquarters and at field offices of the Coast Guard.

Officials at Headquarters emphasize that enlisted men of the Coast Guard who meet the requirements will receive full consideration for the officers' courses, and will be transferred in the rank they hold to the Academy for instruction.

Meanwhile, it was announced that civilian applicants who qualify will be enlisted as apprentice seamen and sent to the Academy for 30 days' preliminary training, after which those with satisfactory records will be designated as cadets, whereupon they will take up their officer training for an additional three months. Upon completion of the course, they will be commissioned as ensigns in the Coast Guard Reserve, and will enter service for the duration of the present war.

Yacht Chartered

Mr. Joseph E. Davies, former Ambassador to Russia, has chartered his four-masted brigantine clipper, the Sea Cloud, to the Navy for use by the Coast Guard. Offered to the Navy more than a year ago and not needed then, the Sea Cloud will undergo certain conversions and then be placed in Coast Guard service. The 2,323 ton vessel was chartered to the Navy for one dollar per year.

Advance to Lieutenants

The Navy Department this week released the names of 194 Coast Guard chief warrant officers whose temporary promotions to lieutenant and lieutenant (jg) have been approved by the President and the Secretary of Navy. The chief warrant officers who were selected for advancement to lieutenant have had six years or more of service, while those advanced to lieutenant (jg) have been in Coast Guard service less than six years.

A break-down of the positions held by those promoted reveals that 87 were previously chief boatswains, 35 chief machinists, 35 chief pay clerks, 18 chief radio electricians, 14 chief gunners, 3 chief carpenters, and 2 chief electricians. Those promoted are:

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3. A long range study by the General Board of the Navy to the end that an equitable and just system of promotion for the line and staff of the Navy and Marine Corps be enacted into law.

4. Revision of pension laws to assure service widows a living income.

5. Compensation for service personnel who use privately owned automobiles on government business.

WHAT the Russian soldiers are doing in the defense of their homeland is the envy and pride of all fighting men. By battering, hammering, badgering, unceasingly, unrelentlessly, the stouthearted Russians have upset the plans of their better prepared invaders and made untrue the forecasts of the experts who calculated only on the basis of such tangibles as trained man power, equipment, munitions, etc. Napoleon attempted to place a mathematical value on the most important of factors when he propounded the rule that morale is to material as three is to one. But yet it can not be weighed nor measured. It shows only in results. There are still experts who fail to get enthusiastic over the Russian progress, who point out that the retreats of the Germans have been from their advance salients and have had the result, probably planned, they say, of straightening out the German line. There has been no break through, they point out, nor have any great bodies of German troops been cut off. Yet the fact remains that the Russians have achieved victories and the soldiers of the Reich suffered defeats in that both Moscow and Leningrad are still free Russian cities and there is no possibility of further German action against them until Spring. When troops move away from their military objectives it may be called a strategical retreat, but certainly no such definition can be given to what is happening to the Germans in Crimea. Hitler's legions were at the gateway to the Caucasus. Last Fall they made their way across the peninsula, to Kerch, and let it be known that the next move would be into the Caucasus. Now, in the last two weeks, Stalin's men have retaken Kerch, Theodosia, and appear to be well on their way to breaking the siege of Sevastopol. Not only are they relieving the threat to the Caucasus, but they may again give their Navy control of the Black Sea.

American aid already has been reaching Russia through Murmansk. The Germans have claimed that their aerial attacks have broken the railroad from Murmansk to Moscow. However, one notes that Anthony Eden went to Russia on a battleship, landed at a port and proceeded to the Capital by rail. This could have been no other port except Murmansk. If a British Foreign Secretary can travel that safely, it may be assumed that American tanks and munitions can be transported with equal safety. By Spring sufficient of such supplies should be in the hands of the Russians to enable them to carry on their drive against the invaders.

THERE is greater significance than most people realize in the announcement this week that the Navy has commissioned its first squadron of non-rigid airships. It is a small squadron, but more are to follow. Perhaps we may later return to the large rigid dirigibles which we so unwisely dropped after suffering the loss of earlier models. Even now military men are warning that we may expect Germany to use her Zeppelins in token raids on East Coast cities of the United States. It is known that the Germans have at least two large dirigibles, the Graf Zeppelin, of 3,700,000 cubic foot gas capacity, and the LZ-130 of 7,063,000 cubic foot capacity. Either could be fitted to carry bombers within easy range of our shores, launch and recover them. Our earlier experiments demonstrated the practicability of using dirigibles as plane carriers. But to the United States Navy, the lighter-than-air machine holds its greatest possibilities in the field of long distance reconnaissance, scouting. With so much of the great oceans to patrol, the great range and covering power of the dirigible would give added eyes, security, and effectiveness to our surface Navy. Our monopoly on helium gives us an advantage no other nation possesses. We should exploit it to the fullest.

Service Humor

Axiomatic

His gun was rusty,
His nails were black,
His hair was shaggy,
His pants hung slack . . .

The top kick gave him
Kay Pee today . . .
So now he's learned
GRIME DOES NOT PAY.

—*Alaska Service Record.*

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Now He Knows

Skeptical Prospect — "Young man, what do I get for my money if I rent this apartment?"

Salesman—"You get a home, on which we pay your taxes, your insurance, your water bill, buy your coal, fire your furnace and hot water heater, furnish your window shades, gas stove, electric refrigerator, do your decorating and repairing, cut your grass, sweep your walks, clean your hall, pay light bill for your hall, entrance and garage, empty your garbage, fight your battles with the neighbors, nurse your children and pet the dog . . . and you ask me what do you get for your money!"

Prospect — "Pardon me for being so stupid—where do I sign!"

—*Contributed.*

—o—

Cold Bid

Goofus—"What are you taking for your cold?"

Rufus—"How much will you offer me for it?"

—*Exchange.*

—o—

This One's A Honey

"Why does a bee buzz?"

"You'd buzz, too, if someone took your honey and nectar."

—*Gargoyle.*

—o—

More Truth Than Poetry

"Ah, dear me, things aren't what they used to be," sighed old Grannie, discussing the younger generation. "Why about the only time a modern mother puts her foot down is when the light turns green."

—*Pointer.*

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In the Dark

Mother: "What are the young man's intentions?"

Daughter: "I don't know he's been keeping me pretty much in the dark."

—*Penn Triangle.*

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Best last-line completion to the limerick which appeared in the 27 Dec. issue has come from Cpl. "DLS," whose response might indicate that she has met the similar fate of the limerick's heroine.

There once was a soldier named Blaine,
Whose fiancee was blonde Betty Jane,
A letter one day,
Put marriage plans away,
But one soldier's loss is another's gain.

The gallant defense of the 385 Marines at Wake Island is the theme for the limerick submitted by Tech. Sgt. "TPC," completions to which are invited for publication in the 24 Jan. issue.

Four hundred marines were certainly awake,
As they fought to prevent an enemy take,
Some day ere long,
In a burst of song,

. . . . . .

ASK THE JOURNAL

SEND your queries to the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL QUESTION EDITOR and an answer will be given in this column as soon as possible after receipt.

Air Corps—In view of the fact that it is contemplated to move promotions of the first two pay grades, Air Corps, into the field, the Office of Chief of Air Corps does not wish to disclose relative positions of eligibles on the lists maintained in that office. It was stated this week that no future promotions will be made from these lists and that when the promotions are placed in the hands of various commanding officers, these lists will mean nothing to the individual.

C. E. M.—Would appreciate further information since we cannot understand your contention that retired enlisted personnel will suffer under the proposed pay act. It is true that $15.75 monthly allowance will be abolished, but increases in base pay, and use of officers' system of longevity—5% each 3 years—compensate for this according to figures supplied to us. Moreover, saving clause in bill states no one shall suffer loss in pay through passage of act.

J. J. H. and A. A. D.—A Reserve officer will not be permitted to leave active duty to accept appointment as warrant officer (jg). However, the War Department informs us that if the Reserve officer's name is reached for appointment he will be entitled to such appointment when he leaves Reserve officer status, whenever that may be.

Ardent Reader—The question of distinguishing insignia for Army chief warrant officers is under study in the War Department. A story to this effect was printed on page 460 of our 27 Dec. issue.

F. V. L.—You still may apply for National Service Life Insurance since new draft act extended time for filing of applications by 120 days. In regard to rest of your question, doubt your ability to obtain a dependency discharge from Army under the circumstances.

In the Journal

10 Years Ago

Rear Adm. George T. Pettengill, USN, will assume command of the Submarine Base, New London, Conn., the Navy Department has announced.

20 Years Ago

Maj. E. C. Wallington, CAC, whose transfer to the Chemical Warfare Service is pending, has been relieved from duty at Ft. Worden, Wash., and assigned to duty at Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

30 Years Ago

Cadet Engr. Ellis Reed-Hill, Revenue Cutter Service, is detached from the School of Instruction and ordered to duty aboard the Apache.

50 Years Ago

The Lancaster has ended her long voyage around the Horn to the Asiatic Station. She arrived at Hong Kong, 3 Jan., 178 days from New York.

75 Years Ago

A rumor of a massacre by the Indians near Ft. Philip Kearney, Dakota Territory, has been confirmed by a telegram from Colonel Carrington to General Grant, in which the Colonel says that 3,0[illegible] men were attacked near the Fort by 3,0[illegible] Indians.

War Department Organized Reserves ✠ **OFFICIAL ORDERS** ✠ *Navy Department Marine Corps*

ARMY ORDERS

Secretary of War
Henry L. Stimson
Under Secretary of War
Robert P. Patterson
Assistant Secretary of War
John J. McCloy
Assistant Secretary of War (Air)
Robert A. Lovett
Chief of Staff
General George C. Marshall

GENERAL OFFICERS

Maj. Gen. James E. Edmonds, Camp Lee, Va., to command, that station.

Brig. Gen. James L. Frink, from Atlanta, Ga., to off., QMG, Wash., D. C.

GENERAL STAFF CORPS

GEN. GEORGE C. MARSHALL, C. OF S.

Col. Alfred M. Gruenther, hq. Third Army, San Antonio, Tex., designated C. of S., Third Army.

Lt. Col. Noble M. Coe, (FA), prior orders amended, from Chicago, Ill., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Charles P. Kerr, (Inf.), from Baltimore, Md., to off., Under Secretary of War, Wash., D. C.

Maj. Russell A. Baker, prior orders revoked.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. E. S. ADAMS, AG

Col. Williard S. Paul, Wash., D. C., det., in GSC

Lt. Col. Philip McI. Whitney, Wash., D. C., to hq. Army Air Forces, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Fred C. Milner, Wash., D. C., to hq. Army Air Forces, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Frederic V. Hemenway, retired, 31 Jan., disability incident to service, from Memphis, Tenn., to off., The AG, Wash., D. C.

Maj. Robert G. Harrison, from New Orleans, La., 5 Jan., to off., AG, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Milton R. Blum, from Camp Upton, N. Y., to Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. McClellan, Ala.

1st Lt. Edwin A. Davis, from Ft. Niagara, N. Y., to off., AG, Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Edward H. Koreman, from Governor's Island, N. Y., to off., AG, Wash., D. C.

INSPECTOR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. VIRGIL L. PETERSON, IG

Capt. Joseph J. Imhoff (then QMC), prior orders revoked.

JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S DEPT.

MAJ. GEN. MYRON C. CRAMER, JAG

Maj. Donald M. Keith, from Wash., D. C., to Port of Embarkation, New Orleans, La.

QUARTERMASTER CORPS

MAJ. GEN. EDMUND B. GREGORY, QMG

Col. James R. Alfonte, from Ft. Benning, Ga., to hq, 4th Corps Area, Atlanta, Ga.

Col. Allen R. Kimball, from West Point, N. Y., to hq, First Army, Governors Island, N. Y.

Col. James H. Laubach, orders revoked.

Folowing off., from sta. ind., to sta. specified: Lt. Col. Harold W. Gould, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 1st Lt. Edward Neinken, from Jersey City, N. J., to off. QMG, Wash., D. C.; 1st Lt. Thomas F. Parks, from Philadelphia, Pa., to off., QMG, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Arthur G. Carren, jr., from Boston, Mass., to off. of QMG, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. David L. Hume, from Chicago, Ill., to QM Market Cent., San Francisco, Calif.; 2nd Lt. Curtis H. McInnay, from Wash., D. C., to Gen. Depot, Seattle, Wash.

Lt. Col. Joseph P. Glandon, from Ft. Stevens, Ore., to C. O. Subport of Embarkation, Portland, Ore.

Lt. Col. Lewis P. Jordan, Ft. Totten, N. Y., to hq, First Army, Governors Island, New York, that station.

Lt. Col. Lawrence B. Savage, from Ft. Custer, Mich., to 5th CASC, Ft. Knox, Ky.

Following off., from sta. ind., to sta, specified: Lt. Col. Foulke O. E. Knudsen, from Camp Lee, Va., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; Capt. Newton D. Smith, from Denver, Colo., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; 2nd Lt. John J. Byrnes, from Wash., D. C., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.

Lt. Col. Arthur E. Dewey, from Emeryville, Calif., to QM Motor Depot, Stockton, Calif.

Lt. Col. Alexander F. Dershimer, retired, 1 Jan., age 64 yrs.

Following off., from sta. ind., to Subport, Seattle, Wash.: Lt. Col. Clifford R. Crusa, Indiantown Gap, Pa.; Capt. Morgan L. Livingston, Ft. Dix, N. J.; 1st Lt. Herman L. Combs, Ft. Wayne, Mich.; 1st Lt. Glenn A. Marshbarger, Bakersfield, Calif.; 1st Lt. Robert L. Taylor, Ft. Adams, R. I.; 2nd Lt. Foster O. Blake, Camp Cooke, Calif.; 2nd Lt. Marion G. Stewart, jr., General Depot, Columbus, O.

Following off., from sta. ind., to San Francisco Port of Embarkation, Ft. Mason, Calif.: Maj. William M. Chase, Lowry Fld., Colo.; Capt. Gordon L. Clawson, Ft. Wayne, Mich.; Capt. Irving P. Cohn, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.; Capt. Philip J. Gavin, Boston, Mass.; Capt. Thomas C. Hunt, Ft. Jackson, S. C.; Capt. Lorenzo D. Kiersey, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 1st Lt. Cornelius C. Albaugh, Camp Lee, Va.; 1st Lt. George L. Barnes, Jeffersonville, Ind.; 1st Lt. Robert C. Spiedel, jr., Ft. Riley, Kans.; 2nd Lt. Gerald H. Altnow, Mather Fld., Calif.; 2nd Lt. Harry R. Buckley, Ft. Banks, Mass.; 2nd Lt. William G. Buhmann, Barksdale Fld., La.; 2nd Lt. Philip C. Cowles, Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. George A. Delbert, Barksdale Fld., La.; 2nd Lt. Francis V. Higgins, Schenectady, N. Y.

Maj. Albert H. Hollandsworth, from Baltimore, Md., 15 Jan., to Engr. Dist., Mobile, Ala.

Following off., from Shamokin, Pa., to Gen. Depot, Marietta, Pa.: Maj. Forrest G. Smith, 1st Lt. Charles N. Bohannan, 2nd Lt. James G. Wigginton.

Maj. Joseph F. O'Brien, Wash., D. C., to off., Chief of Morale Branch.

Maj. Stanley H. Hunsicker, from Shamokin, Pa., to General Depot, Marietta, Pa.

Maj. Seward W. Huise, from Ft. Sill, Okla., to sta. comp., Brooks Fld., Tex.

Maj. Forester H. Sinclair, from Ft. Jay, N. Y., to sta. comp., Army Air Base, Windsor Locks, Conn.

Capt. Robert Smith, from Camp Livingston, La., to sta. comp., Langley Fld., Va.

Capt. Ralph S. Hardiman, from Wash., D. C., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.

Capt. Earl L. Jackson, from Camp Barkeley, Tex., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.

1st Lt. William K. Naylor, from Selfridge Fld., Mich., to sta. comp., Langley Fld., Va.

1st Lt. Edward M. Tolliver, Kansas City, Mo., to procurement planning that station.

1st Lt. John S. Taylor, II, prior orders amended, from Boston, Mass., to GHQ, Army War College, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Henry H. Hess, from Ft. Jackson, S. C., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.

1st Lt. Charles R. Fenelon, from Camp Lee, Va., to enlisted det., Hampton Institute, Hampton, Va.

Following off., from Wash., D. C., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.: 1st Lt. William L. Dale, 1st Lt. James C. Stephens, 2nd Lt. Alan D. Porter.

1st Lt. Thomas F. Parks, orders revoked.

1st Lt. Claude L. Welch, from Ft. Knox, Ky., to sta. comp., Army Air Base, Portland, Ore.

1st Lt. Jay H. Staley, prior orders amended, to Air Service Comd., Olmsted Fld., Fla.

1st Lt. William A. Scully, Ft. Dix, N. J., to 2nd Corps Service Comd., that station.

2nd Lt. James R. Kile, Kansas City, Mo., to QM Depot, that station.

2nd Lt. Leroy W. Mueller, from Camp Wallace, Tex., to San Antonio General Depot, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

2nd Lt. Richard Corner, jr., from Camp Bowie, Tex., to ACTS, Sheppard Fld., Tex.

2nd Lt. Duward L. Crow, from Randolph Fld., Tex., to QM Sch., Camp Lee, Va.

2nd Lt. Robert M. Hecker, from Shamokin, Pa., to Gen. Depot, Marietta, Pa.

2nd Lt. Robert B. Straesser, from Chicago, Ill., to 7th CASC, Ft. Riley, Kans.

2nd Lt. Kenneth O. Due, from Tulsa, Okla., 5 Jan., to QM Sch., Camp Lee, Va.

2nd Lt. Charles E. Diehl, from Ft. Benning, Ga., to 4th CASC, Camp Shelby, Miss.

2nd Lt. John E. Ferris, jr., Brooks Fld., Tex., to sta. comp., that station.

2nd Lt. Terry F. Newkirk, from Jeffersonville, Ind., to Billings Gen. Hosp., Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

2nd Lt. Richard H. Gale, from Camp Lee, Va., 3 Jan., to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

2nd Lt. Robert E. Towers, from Philadelphia, Pa., to off., QMG, Wash., D. C.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. JAMES C. MAGEE, SG

Medical Corps

Lt. Col. Francis B. Dwire, to active duty, 1 Jan. date following retirement, to Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, Calif.

Following Lt. Cols., prior orders revoked: Read B. Harding, Michael G. Healy.

Lt. Col. Myron P. Rudolph, prior orders amended, from Camp Gordon, Ga., 5 Jan.

Lt. Col. William L. Starnes, from Ft. Benning, Ga., to 4th General Hosp., Ft. Jackson, S. C.

Lt. Col. Maxwell G. Keeler, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 5th General Hosp., that station.

Lt. Col. Carroll P. Price, orders revoked.

Maj. Robert P. Rea, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif., to hq., Fourth Army, that station.

Maj. David E. Liston, prior orders amended, Wash., D. C., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Following off., from sta. ind., 15 Jan., to sta. comp., sta. specified: Maj. Raymond P. Hawkinson, from Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., to Gowen Fld., Ida.; Capt. Albert B. Baker, from Ft. Sill, Okla., to Geiger Fld., Wash.; Capt. Nathan Botwin, from Ft. McClellan, Ala., to Keesler Fld., Miss.; Capt. James L. Campbell, jr., from Camp Blanding, Fla., to Dale Mabry Airport, Fla.; Capt. Niles A. Clarke, from Camp Livingston, La., to Keesler Fld., Miss.; Capt. Charles F. Davis, jr., from Ft. Story, Va., to Westover Fld., Mass.; Capt. Haskell D. Hatfield, from Camp Barkeley, Tex., to Army Air Base, New Orleans, La.; Capt. Thomas W. Howell, from Ft. Jackson, S. C., to Keesler Fld., Miss.; Capt. Dan R. Sewell, from Ft. Sill, Okla., to Army Air Base, Albuquerque, N. Mex.; Capt. Carroll C. Smith, from Camp Bowie, Tex., to Sheppard Fld., Tex.; Capt. Elmer M. Smith, from Ft. Meade, S. Dak., to Army Air Base, Pendleton, Ore.; Capt. Ralph Vinje, from Ft. Riley, Kans., to Army Air Base, Pendleton, Ore.; Capt. Charles E. Walker, jr., from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Sheppard Fld., Tex.; 1st Lt. Arthur B. Alexander, from Camp Barkeley, Tex., to Sheppard Fld., Tex.; 1st Lt. Gerard J. Alonzo, from Camp Forrest, Tenn., to Army Air Base, New Orleans, La.; 1st Lt. Donald W. Anderson, from Camp Polk, La., to Army Air Base, Baton Rouge, La.; 1st Lt. Vetalis V. Anderson, from Ft. Bliss, Tex., to Army Air Base, Portland, Ore.; 1st Lt. Stanley D. Burton, from Ft. Brown, Tex., to Sheppard Fld., Tex.; 1st Lt. Walter L. Byers, from Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to Jefferson Bks., Mo.; 1st Lt. James W. Carter, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Sheppard Fld., Tex.; 1st Lt. Gaylord R. Chase, from Camp Barkeley, Tex., to Sheppard Fld., Tex.; 1st Lt. Thomas R. Dolan, from Camp Claiborne, La., to Keesler Fld., Miss.; 1st Lt. Bud Dryden, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Sheppard Fld., Tex.; 1st Lt. Angus J. Fillmore, jr., from Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., to Gowen Fld., Ida.; 1st Lt. James H. Gosman, from Camp Shelby, Miss., to Army Air Base, Jackson, Miss.; 1st Lt. Charles H. Hiles, from Carlisle Bcks, Pa., to Windsor Locks, Conn.; 1st Lt. Brainard E. Hines, from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., to Westover Fld., Mass.; 1st Lt. Patrick H. Hoey, from Ft. McClellan, Ala., to Keesler Fld., Miss.; 1st Lt. Rex L. Iler, from Camp Shelby, Miss., to Army Air Base, Jackson, Miss.; 1st Lt. Frederick S. Kinder, from Camp Forrest, Tenn., to Keesler Fld., Miss.; 1st Lt. Robert M. Laughlin, from Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., to Army Air Base, Bangor, Me.; 1st Lt. Wilson P. Shortridge, from Pine Camp, N. Y., to Army Air Base, Manchester, N. H.; 1st Lt. Oscar W. Still, from William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., to Army Air Base, Portland, Ore.; 1st Lt. Charles G. Stuard, from Ft. Sill, Okla., to Jefferson Bcks., Mo.; 1st Lt. George B. Talbot, from Ft. Bliss, Tex., to Army Air Base, Albuquerque, N. Mex.; 1st Lt. Ames R. Templeton, from Ft. Hayes, O., to Jefferson Bcks., Mo.; 1st Lt. Elvin D. Thompson, from Ft. Benning, Ga., to Keesler Fld., Miss.; 1st Lt. Harry F. Vail, from Camp Livingston, La., to Sheppard Fld., Tex.; 1st Lt. Isaac N. Watson, from Camp Bowie, Tex., to Sheppard Fld., Tex.

Maj. Phillip P. Pease, from Ft. Hayes, O., 25 Jan., to Sheppard Fld., Tex.

Maj. Craig W. Muckle, from Wash., D. C., 25 Jan., to 52d Evacuation Hosp., Ft. Custer, Mich.

Capt. Mario Bonaquisto, from Camp Stewart, Ga., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., Maxwell Fld., Ala.

Following off., from sta. ind., 25 Jan., to sta. specified: Capt. John W. Records, from Ft. Bliss, Tex., to Carlisle Bks., Pa.; 1st Lt. Paul C. Le Golvan, from Carlisle Bks., Pa.; to 204th General Hospital, Ft. Bliss, Tex.; 1st Lt. Herbert L. Nigg, from Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to Carlisle Bks., Pa.

Capt. James H. Gray, from Camp Davis, N. C., 1 Mar., to sta. comp., ACAFS, Dothan, Ala.

Capt. Samuel G. Hibbs, from Indiantown Gap, Pa., 25 Jan., to 4th CASC, Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Capt. John L. Matthews, from Kelly Fld., Tex., 5 Jan., to Gulf Coast AC Tr. Cen., Randolph Fld., Tex.

Capt. Morris W. Curtis, from Langley Fld., Va., 30 Jan., to inactive status.

Capt. Albert A. Carp, from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., Army Air Base, Bangor, Me.

Capt. Gerald M. Dewoody, from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., Maxwell Fld., Ala.

Capt. George H. Ketler, from Ft. Jay, N. Y., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., Army Air Base, Windsor Locks, Conn.

Capt. Hubert W. Miller, from Ft. Sill, Okla., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., McChord Fld., Wash.

1st Lt. Stephen A. Jonas, from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., 20 Jan., to inactive status.

1st Lt. Edward H. Leveroos, from Camp Livingston, La., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., Dale Mabry Fld., Fla.

1st Lt. Harold Silberbush, from Ft. Dix, N. J., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., Army Air Base, Manchester, N. H.

1st Lt. Stanley L. Wellens, from Ft. Dix, N. J., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., Dale Mabry Fld., Tallahassee, Fla.

1st Lt. Robert E. Bowen, from Chicago, Ill., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., Paine Fld., Wash.

1st Lt. Sidney E. Wanderman, from Ft. Benning, Ga., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., Maxwell Fld., Ala.

1st Lt. Edward A. Larkin, from Ft. Du Pont, Dela., to North Atlantic Div., CE, St. Paul, Minn.

1st Lt. Sidney M. Tepper, from Ft. Sill, Okla., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., McChord Fld., Wash.

1st Lt. William B. Turk, from Camp Blanding, Fla., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., Army Air Base, New Orleans, La.

1st Lt. James H. Nickens, prior orders revoked, from Wash., D. C., 1 Feb., to 4th CASC, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

1st Lt. Fred M. Richardson, from Charleston, S. C., to 52nd Evacuation Hospital, Ft. Custer, Mich.

1st Lt. Russell A. Barnhardt, from Camp Forrest, Tenn., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., Drew Fld., Fla.

1st Lt. George A. Silver III, from Camp Forrest, Tenn., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., Drew Fld., Fla.

1st Lt. Edmond H. Kalmon, jr., from Camp Davis, N. C., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., MacDill Fld., Fla.

1st Lt. Ronald W. Steube, from Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., 15 Jan., to 4th CASC, Camp Wheeler, Ga.

1st Lt. Nowell D. Nelms, from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., 1 Feb., to sta. comp., Maxwell Fld., Ala.

Dental Corps

Col. Eugene Milburn, from Ft. Jackson, S. C., 1 Jan., to hq., 1st Corps Area, Boston, Mass.

Lt. Col. Walter A. Rose, Ft. Jackson, S. C., to camp dental surgeon that station.

Lt. Col. Bruce H. Roberts, retired, 31 Dec., disability incident to service, rank of col.

Lt. Col. George R. Kennebeck, from Camp Davis, N. C., 25 Jan., to off. C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Thomas L. Spoon, from Camp Blanding, Fla., 25 Jan., to 4th CASC, Camp Davis, N. C.

Following off., from sta. ind., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., Kelly Fld., Tex.: Capt. George E. Mensch, Ft. Sill, Okla.; 1st Lt. William W. Senn, Ft. Bliss, Tex.

Following off., from sta. ind., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., Sheppard Fld., Tex.: Capt. Dwight L. Baldridge, Camp Bowie, Tex.; Capt. Walter J. Baumgartner, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; Capt. Julian G. Manser, Ft. Bliss, Tex.; Capt. Clyde L. Sloss, Ft. Sill, Okla.; Capt. John J. Van Dyke, Ft. Bliss, Tex.; 1st Lt. William R. Alstadt, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; 1st Lt. John R. Eastman, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; 1st Lt. Leo A. Makins, Camp Wolters, Tex.; 1st Lt. Thomas M. McDonald, Ft. Sill, Okla.; 1st Lt. William J. Rose, Camp Bowie, Tex.; 1st Lt. Harold H. Stiegemeyer, Ft. Bliss, Tex.; 1st Lt. Jerry W. Turek, Camp Hulen, Tex.

Following off., from Camp Grant, Ill., 25 Jan., to sta. comp., sta. ind.: Capt. Chang W. Lee, Army Air Base, Higley, Ariz.; 1st Lt. Lee M. Scholnik, Gowen Fld., Idaho.

1st Lt. George N. Trokas, Mitchel Fld., N. Y., to sta. comp., Army Air Base, that station.

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NO NAVY, MARINE CORPS, OR COAST GUARD ORDERS

Publication of orders issued to Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard personnel has been ordered suspended to avoid possible revelation of information against the public interest.

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Army Orders

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1st Lt. Myron Marcus, from Camp Lee, Va., 15 Jan., to Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.

1st Lt. Frank C. Jerbi, from Camp Beauregard, La., 25 Jan., to Div. Engr., North Atlantic Div., CE, New York, N. Y.

1st Lt. Mitchel Nowak, from Camp Davis, N. C., 25 Jan., to div. engr., North Atlantic Div., CE, New York, N. Y.

Following 1st Lts. from sta. ind., 15 Jan., to MD Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.: Wilfred Armold, General Dispensary, New York; Lewis A. Babinski, Ft. Dix, N. J.; Leonard H. Bascove, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.; James D. Battaglia, Ft. Wadsworth, N. Y.; George T. Biggs, Camp Stewart, Ga.; Herbert S. Brown, Camp Edwards, Mass.; Bowen C. Carter, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; Paul S. Dubansky, Ft. Eustis, Va.; Elmer A. Eckert, Camp Forrest, Tenn.; Simon Glerum, jr., Camp Livingston, La.; Robert F. Hand, Ft. Monroe, Va.; Raymond R. Lapolla, Camp Edwards, Mass.; Charles McD. Meter, Ft. George G. Meade, Md.; Albert Morris, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; Glen O. Pearson, Camp Forrest, Tenn.; Carl L. Sessa, Ft. Dix, N. J.; Erwin E. Shea, Ft. Adams, R. I.; Leonard E. Shultz, Indiantown Gap, Pa.; John D. Sullivan, Camp Croft, S. C.; John G. Wall, Ft. George G. Meade, Md.

Following 1st Lts. from sta. ind., 15 Jan., to Med. Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Grant, Ill.: Glenn A. Benzow, Pine Camp, N. Y.; Clifford W. Burkett, Ft. Story, Va.; Edgar T. Crowe, Indiantown Gap, Pa.; Everett C. Hogan, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; Richard G. Kellogg, Camp Livingston, La.; Ansel M. Lawson, Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.; Robert E. Lively, Ft. Knox, Ky.; Howard P. Lynch, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.; Edward F. McCarthy, Ft. Knox, Ky.; Ralph W. Muchow, Camp Forrest, Tenn.; Wilbert J. Reed, Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.; Oscar J. Schoepke, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; Mortimer I. Slavin, Ft. George G. Meade, Md.; Carroll H. Spain, Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.; Joseph M. Wolfe, Camp Wolters, Tex.; Robert B. Young, Ft. George G. Meade, Md.

Following 1st Lts. from Camp Lee, Va., 15 Jan., to Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.: Gordon D. Russell, Guy W. Toph.

Following 1st Lts. prior orders revoked: Samuel Seltzer, Daniel Singer.

1st Lt. Charles J. Zavosky, prior orders amended, "1st Lt. Charles J. Zaveskey."

Veterinary Corps

Capt. Bernard F. Trum, from Ft. Robinson, Nebr., 21 Jan., to South Central Remount Area, San Angelo, Tex.

1st Lt. Benjamin D. Blood, to attending vet., Subsection, Atlanta, Gen. Depot, Savannah, Ga., in add. to his other duties.

Following 1st Lts., from sta. ind., to Port of Embarkation, New Orleans, La.: Leslie C. Murphy, Ft. Benning, Ga.; George C. Thomas, jr., Camp Claiborne, La.

1st Lt. John R. Collier, from Ft. Hayes, O., to Patterson Fld., O.

1st Lt. Ralph A. Maxwell, from Pine Camp, N. Y., 20 Jan., to General Depot, Schenectady, N. Y.

1st Lt. John L. McKitrick, from Ft. Hayes, O., to QM Remount Depot, Ft. Robinson, Nebr.

Medical Administrative Corps

Capt. Carl A. Baumann, from Camp Livingston, La., 10 Jan., to off., of SG, Wash., D. C.

Following off., from sta. ind., 25 Jan., to sta. specified: Capt. Henry F. Nickalaus, from Camp Grant, Ill., to Med. Depot, St. Louis, Mo.; 2nd Lt. Thomas B. Stewart, from Camp Barkeley, Tex., to off., SG, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Harold C. Chamberlin, prior orders amended, from Ft. Ord, Calif., 5 Jan.

2nd Lt. Ethan L. Phillips, from Camp Grant, Ill., to Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, Calif.

2nd Lt. John G. Kilian, jr., from Camp Claiborne, La., 25 Jan., to Ord. Plant, Burlington, Iowa.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. HOWARD K. LOUGHRY, C. of F.

Lt. Col. Richard E. G. Opie, from Mather Fld., Calif., to fin. off., Sacramento Air. Depot, McClellan Fld., Calif.

Capt. Edward J. Westerman, from Camp Lee, Va., to Army Fin. Sch., and Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

Capt. George F. Dale, Wash., D. C., to Fin. Off., USA, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Frank S. Tenny, from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., 5 Jan., to 703d MP Bn., Arlington Cantonment, Va.

CORPS OF ENGINEERS

MAJ. GEN. EUGENE REYBOLD, C. of E.

Col. Xenophon H. Price, from Camp Beauregard, La., to Engr. Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Col. Daniel Noce, from Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., 10 Jan., to Armd. Force, Ft. Knox, Ky.

Lt. Col. Emory J. Close, from Charleston, S. C., to Army Air Base, Greenville, S. C.

Following off., from sta. ind., to division real estate director, sta. ind.: Lt. Col. Henry E. Cox, from Atlanta, Ga., to South Atlantic Engr. Div., Richmond, Va.: Maj. Leonard M. Cowley, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Southwestern Engr. Div., Dallas, Tex.; Capt. Graham Aldis, from Chicago, Ill., to Great Lakes Engr. Div., Cleveland, O.

Lt. Col. Jesse R. Fridley, from Camp Claiborne, La., to off., C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

Maj. George A. Morris, from Camp Blanding, Fla., to Engr. Dist., Vicksburg, Miss.

Maj. Richard A. Bean, from Boston, Mass., to div. engr., North Atlantic Div., New York, N. Y.

Following off., from sta. ind., to faculty, Engr. Sch., Ft. Belvoir, Va.: Maj. Clyde E. Dougherty, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.; Capt. Joseph Cushing, Ft. McClellan, Ala.; Capt. Thruman S. Doman, Camp Shelby, Miss.; Capt. Edward O. Hamilton, Ft. George G. Meade, Md.; Capt. Robert D. McKim, Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.; Capt. Merle W. Obenour, Camp Bowie, Tex.; Capt. Raymond G. Rolin, Ft. Logan, Colo.; Capt. James D. Strong, Ft. Belvoir, Va.; Phoenix N. Dangel, Ft. Custer, Mich.

Following off., from sta. ind., 1 Feb., to Gen. Depot, Columbus, O.: Maj. Harvey A. Hall, Camp Davis, N. C.; Capt. Augustus M. Minton, Scott Fld., Ill.; Capt. James E. Turner, Wright Fld., O.; 1st Lt. Edward J. Moersch, Savannah, Ga.; 1st Lt. James A. Thetford, Ft. Dix, N. J.

Maj. Wilhelm P. Kennard, from Camp Stewart, Ga., to asst. post utilities off., Camp Forrest, Tenn.

Maj. Frederick H. W. Frey, from Columbus, O., to division real estate director, Lower Mississippi Valley Engr. Div., Vicksburg, Miss.

Maj. Albert M. Musgrove, jr., prior orders amended from hq., 2nd Corps Area, Governors Island, N. Y.

Maj. John J. Borbridge, jr., from Indiantown Gap, Pa., to hq., Air Force Combat Comd., Bolling Fld., D. C.

Maj. Daniel A. Branigan, from Camp Grant, Ill., to post utilities off.

Maj. George W. Stewart, from Huntsville, Arsenal, Ala., to post utilities off., La. Garde General Hospital, New Orleans, La.

Maj. Frederick L. Ackerson, from Camp Claiborne, La., to post utilities off., that sta. and to duty in const. program, that station in add. to other duties.

Maj. Houston L. Gaddy, from Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., to that station.

Maj. Elmer H. Oechsle, from Omaha, Nebr., to asst. dist. engr., Engr. Dist., Ft. Peck, Mont.

Capt. Lee E. Sheld, from Wash., D. C., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Capt. Philip B. Hall, from Ft. Custer, Mich., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Capt. William P. Wickham, from Columbus, O., 6 Jan., to General Depot, Schenectady, N. Y.

Capt. Hobart E. Northrup, San Francisco, Calif., to asst. div. engr., South Pacific Div., San Francisco, Calif.

Capt. Harold J. Linscomb (Inf.), from Atlanta, Ga., 5 Jan., to Inf. Sch. Ser. Comd., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Capt. Walter J. Williams, prior orders amended, to asst. dist. engr., Huntington Engr. Dist., Hopewell, Va.

Capt. Robert W. Draughon, from Ft. McIntosh, Tex., to Engr. Sch. Ser. Comd., Ft. Belvoir, Va.

Capt. Harold L. Morian, Seattle, Wash., to subport of Seattle, that station.

Capt. John M. Powell, from Lacarne, O., to asst. dist. engr., Gen. Depot, Columbus, O.

Capt. Hobart H. Lewis, from Sandusky, O., to asst. dist. engr., Erie Proving Ground, and Camp Perry, Lacarne, O.

Capt. Frank E. Ledge, prior orders amended, "Capt. Frank E. Lodge."

1st Lt. John A. Heisler III, from Baltimore, Md., to asst. dist. engr., Gen. Depot, Richmond, Va.

1st Lt. John F. McCauley, Ft. Custer, Mich., to post utilities off., that station.

1st Lt. Tilford A. Olson, prior orders amended, to Ohio River Div., Cincinnati, O.

1st Lt. Cecil E. Mengerink, from Charlestown, Ind., to asst. dist. engr., Hopewell, Va.

1st Lt. John E. Schmeiser, Ft. Belvoir, Va., to faculty, Engr. Sch., Ft. Belvoir, Va.

1st Lt. John W. Fueg, (Inf.), Wash., D. C., 1 Jan., to off., PMG, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Edward C. Edgar, from Ft. Bragg, N. C., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

1st lt. Richard B. Pilkington, (Inf.), Wash., D. C., 31 Dec., to off., C. of AC.

1st Lt. John Y. Latta, from Wash., D. C., to sta. comp., Wright Fld., O.

1st Lt. William F. Tompkins, jr., from Camp Bowie, Tex., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Following off., from Eglin Fld., Fla., to asst. dist. engr., Mobile Engr. Dist., Valpariso, Fla.: George T. Littlefield, Francis G. McBride.

1st Lt. Jasper R. Hendrick, from Mobile, Fla., to asst. dist. Engr., Tuskegee, Ala.

1st Lt. Kent Ryan, Camp Lockett, Calif., to post utilities off., Camp Lockett, Calif.

2nd Lt. William F. Berg, (FA), Morgantown, W. Va., 31 Dec., to Ord. Works, that station.

2nd Lt. Weldon C. Butler, from Ft. Belvoir, Va., 20 Jan., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Ira L. Armstrong, from Huntsville Arsenal, Ala., to asst. dist. engr., Vicksburg, Engr. Dist., Minden, La.

2nd Lt. John W. Evans, from Ft. Devens, Mass., to asst div. engr., North Atlantic Engr. Div., New York, N. Y.

2nd Lt. Richard E. Morehouse, Ft. Belvoir, Va., to Engr. Sch. Ser. Comd., Ft. Belvoir, Va.

2nd Lt. James M. Hewes, from Ogden, Utah, to post utilities off., Bombing Range, Muroc Lake, Calif.

2nd Lt. Hillard W. Shaffer, from Joliet, Ill., to post utilities off., Chanute Fld., Ill.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. CHARLES M. WESSON, C. OF O.

Col. Arthur W. Ford, from Dover, N. J., to C. O., West Virginia Ord. Works, Point Pleasant, W. Va.

Col. DeRosey C. Cabell, from add. duty as C. O., Southwestern Proving Ground, Hope, Ark.

Col. Hermann H. Zornig, from Wash., D. C., 12 Jan., to Watertown Arsenal, Mass.

Following Cols., from sta. ind., to sta. ind.: Hermon F. Stafford, from Watervliet, N. Y., to Off., C. of O., Wash., D. C.; Walter W. Warner, from Wash., D. C., to Arsenal, Watervliet, N. Y.

Lt. Col. Samuel F. Clabaugh, prior orders amended, to off., C. of O., Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Walter F. Vander Hyden, prior orders amended, from Birmingham, Ala., 15 Jan., to Ord. Depot, Ogden, Utah.

Lt. Col. Roy L. Bowlin, from Rochester, N. Y., 11 Feb., to C. O., Southwestern Proving Ground, Hope, Ark.

Lt. Col. J. Worthen Proctor, from Ogden, Utah, 15 Jan., to hq, 4th Corps Area, Atlanta, Ga.

Following off., from sta. ind., to sta. specified: Lt. Col. Miles W. Kresge, from Wash., D. C., to Picatinny Arsenal, Dover, N. J.; 2nd Lt. Morris Silberman, from Aberdeen, Md., to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

Lt. Col. Robert S. Barr, from Ft. Lewis, Wash., to C. O., Wingate Ord. Depot, Ft. Wingate, N. Mex.

Lt. Col. Douglas B. Wesson, from Springfield, Mass., to hq, 9th Corps Area, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

Maj. Justin D. Hillyer, from Jacksonville, Ark., 10 Jan., to C. O., Lake Ontario Ord. Works, Rochester, N. Y.

Maj. Stanley C. Shubart, from Denver, Colo., to C. O., Longhorn Ord. Works, Karnack, Tex.

Maj. Stuart Naramore, from Hartford, Conn., to 7th CASC, Ft. Riley, Kans.

Capt. Thomas E. Wood, from Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., to sta. comp., Wright Fld., Ohio.

Following off., from Wash., D. C., 26 Jan., to Port of Embarkation, Seattle, Wash.: Capt. Charles R. Currier, 2nd Lt. Carl E. Johnson, jr.

Capt. Floyd G. Pratt, prior orders revoked, from Aberdeen, Md., to off., C. of O., Wash., D. C.

Capt. Lorin E. Warlow, from Rochester, N. Y., to Army inspector of ord., American Locomotive Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

Capt. David L. Fiske, Wash., D. C., to off., Under Sec. of War, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Francis H. Corgan, from Youngwood, Pa., to Latrobe, Pa.

Following off., from Cleveland, O., to sta. ind.: 1st Lt. Frederick G. Wahl, Erie Proving Ground, Lacarne, O.; 2nd Lt. Carl R. Meckstroth, Arsenal, Edgewood, Md.

2nd Lt. Jack B. Morehouse, from Cleveland, O., 8 Jan., to Locomotive Works, Lima, O.

2nd Lt. Jack O. Standley, from Brooks Fld., Tex., to ACAFS, Lubbock, Tex.

2nd Lt. Gordon D. Kimpel, from Carnegie, Pa., to Pittsburgh, Pa.

SIGNAL CORPS

MAJ. GEN. DAWSON OLMSTEAD, CSO

Lt. Col. Henry J. Schroeder, from Ft. Knox, Ky., to 3rd CASC, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Maj. Richard W. Sears, from Wash., D. C., to Tr. Film Production Lab., Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Maj. Walter E. Dobbins, jr., orders evoked.

Maj. William P. Pence, from Wash., D. C., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Following off., from Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to Subport, Seattle, Wash.: Maj. Edward K. Baum, 1st Lt. Richard T. Allbright, 1st Lt. Melvin W. Olson.

Following off., from sta. ind., to Port of Embarkation, Ft. Mason, Calif.: Maj. Meredith T. Lewis, Camp Barkeley, Tex.; Capt. Charles W. Evans, jr., Ft. Monmouth, N. J.; 2nd Lt. Richard J. Farmer, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Maj. John K. Shawvan, from Ft. Monmouth.

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N. J., to off., CSO, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Marvin M. Winter, from Ft. Slocum, N. Y., to SC Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Capt. Ulrich S. Lyons, from Wash., D. C., to hq, Third Army, San Antonio, Tex.

Capt. David D. Manson, from Camp Forrest, Tenn., to off., CSO, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Charles W. Evans, jr., orders revoked.

Capt. Sterling W. Plant, from Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to 1st Interceptor Comd., Ft. Dix, N. J.

Capt. Lewis W. Makley, Wright Fld., O., to SC Procurement Dist., that station.

Capt. Edward B. Blackwell, from Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to SC Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Crowder, Mo.

Capt. Harry J. Lewis, Wash., D. C., to GHQ, Army War College.

Following off., Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to SC Rep. Pool, that station: Capt. Jerre A. Gallup; Capt. Ralph E. Lamar; Capt. James M. Mathews; Capt. Wayne R. Welty; 1st Lt. William J. Barter; 1st Lt.Paul W. Bien; 1st Lt. Joseph R. Cason; 1st Lt. Cecil C. Clements; 1st Lt. Edward A. Cockey, III; 1st Lt. John D. Dimond, III; 1st Lt. John M. Ernst; 1st Lt. Charles W. Flanigan; 1st Lt. Charles N. Hall; 1st Lt. James S. Hopkins; 1st Lt. Stanley B. Howard; 1st Lt. Robert E. Johnson; 1st Lt. Gerald J. Laubenthal; 1st Lt. Rufus E. Lawrence, jr.; 1st Lt. Calvin M. McKeown; 1st Lt. John B. Mott; 1st Lt. William C. Pease, III; 1st. Lt. Vernon E. Pellow; 1st Lt. James W. Powers; 1st Lt. Elwood F. Ryder; 1st Lt. Roscoe C. Sparks; 1st Lt. James M. Towey; 1st Lt. Russell F. Walter; 1st Lt. George M. Webster; 1st Lt. Frank T. West, IV; 2nd Lt. Charles W. Abbitt; 2nd Lt. Durland E. Clark, jr.; 2nd Lt. Carl Dolphin; 2nd Lt. Thomas Eistrat; 2nd Lt. William H. Frazier, jr.; 2nd Lt. Henry B. Holmes, III; 2nd Lt. George Katres; 2nd Lt. Harland S. Laycock; 2nd Lt. Leslie M. Payne; 2nd Lt. Ben T. Wade, jr.; 2nd Lt. John E. Walsh; 2nd Lt. Robert L. Zierjack.

1st Lt. Edward H. Davison, prior orders revoked, from Cambridge, Mass., to Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

1st Lt. Henry C. Johnson, from Camp Edwards, Mass., to off., CSO, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Charles T. Harrison, prior orders amended, to Memphis, Tenn.

1st Lt. Laurence W. Hacker, from Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif., to Gen. Depot, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

Following 1st Lts., from Camp Claiborne, La., to SC Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Crowder, Mo.: Paul E. Goodell, Elmer E. Haraden.

1st Lt. Henry C. Johnson, from Camp Edwards, Mass., to off., CSO, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Clarence W. Evans, from Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to San Francisco Port of Embarkation, Ft. Mason, Calif.

2nd Lt. John M. Sanabria, from Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to off., CSO, Wash., D. C.

CHEMICAL WARFARE SERVICE

MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM N. PORTER, C. of CWS

Lt. Col. Thomas J. Ford, orders revoked.

Capt. Embree F. Hockenbeaner, from Stockton, Calif., to off., C. of CWS, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Merle Q. Dannettell, Edgewood Arsenal, Md., to CW Depot, that station.

1st Lt. Claude K. Stambaugh, Edgewood Arsenal, Md., to CW Sch., that station.

Following 1st Lts., from sta. ind., to off., C. of CWS, Wash., D. C.: Hadsell E. Alexander, Ft., Barrancas, Fla.; James D. Collins, jr., Eglin Fld., Fla.; John D. Koontz, Camp Livingston, La.; Earl E. Turner, Camp Beauregard, La.

1st Lt. John R. Allison, Edgewood Arsenal, Md., 6 Jan., to 22d MP Co., that station.

2nd Lt. Joseph A. Heilman, from Wash., D. C., 18 Jan., to inactive status.

CHAPLAIN CORPS

CH. WILLIAM R. ARNOLD, C. of Ch.

Following Chs., from Camp Roberts, Calif., to Inf. Rep. Tr. Cen., that station: (Lt. Col.) George C. Pearson, (Maj.) George E. Simmons, (1st Lt.) Kenneth L. Ahl, (1st Lt. William E. Austill; (1st Lt.) Paul M. Bourns, (1st Lt.) Joseph E. Childress, (1st Lt.) Eric L. Danielson, (1st Lt.) Henry C. Hemmeter, (1st Lt.) Fred W. McClung, (1st Lt.) Alfred B. Minyard, (1st Lt.) Mark H. Penoyer.

Ch. (Maj.) Mathias M. Hoffman, from Ft. Rosecrans, Calif., to Port of Embarkation, Overseas Discharge and Rep. Depot, Ft. McDowell, Calif.

Ch. (Maj.) Wilfred A. Munday, Camp Grant, Ill., to sta. comp., that station.

Ch. (Maj.) L. Curtis Tierman, from Ft. Bragg, N. C., to hq., 1st Corps Area, Boston, Mass.

Following Chs., Camp Roberts, Calif., to FA Rep. Tr. Cen., that station; (Maj.) Jesse H. Garrett, (1st Lt.) William H. Klaustermeyer, (1st Lt.) Patrick J. McGoldrick.

Ch. (Maj.) James H. O'Neill, from Boston, Mass., to Armd., Force, Ft. Knox, Ky.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Thomas L. Lusk, from Camp Edwards, Mass., to 52nd Evacuation Hosp., Ft. Custer, Mich.

CAVALRY

MAJ. GEN. JOHN K. HERR, C. of Cav.

Col. Paul H. McG. Converse, prior orders revoked, from Wash., D. C., to off., PMG, Arlington Cantonment, Va.

Lt. Col. Candler A. Wilkinson, from Ft. Riley, Kans., 2 Jan., to off., in charge, South Central Remount Area, San Angelo, Tex.

Lt. Col. Nelson M. Imboden, retired, 31 Jan., at own application.

Lt. Col., Thomas D. Wadelton, retirement revoked.

Maj. James S. Williams, from Indiantown Gap, Pa., 9 Jan., to faculty, SC Sch., Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Maj. Edwin P. Geesey, Wash., D. C., det., in GSC.

Capt. Adolphus K. Heyner, from Ft. Hayes, O., to off., JAG, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Arthur McD. Wilson, III, from Ft. Benning, Ga., to off., Chief of Morale Branch, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Ernest C. Hudgins, jr., from Ft. Knox, Ky., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Capt. David D. Babcock, from Ft. Riley, Kans,. 5 Jan., to off., CSO, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Kenneth E. Gardner, prior orders amended, "1st Lt. Kenneth E. Gardiner."

1st Lt. Milton J. Ingeman, Ft. Knox., Ky., to post QM, that station.

1st Lt. Alonzo F. Stark, from Ft. Riley, Kans., to 4th CASC, Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga.

2nd Lt. Nathan Hayward, jr., from Indiantown Gap, Pa., to off., C. of E., Wash., D. C.

FIELD ARTILLERY

MAJ. GEN. ROBERT M. DANFORD, C. of FA

Following off., Wash., D. C., to GSC: Col. Falkner Heard, Lt. Col. Francis A. March, 3d.

Lt. Col. James E. Bush, from Richmond, Va., 15 Jan., to FA Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Lt. Col. Edwin S. Bettelheim, jr., Wash., D. C., to hq., Provisional Brigade, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Marion L. Young, retired, 31 December, disability incident to service, to active duty, 1 Jan., to CCC, Richmond, Va.

Lt. Col. George S. Middleton, jr., from Camp Crowder, Mo., to FA Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Sill, Okla.

Lt. Col. Laurence H. Hanley, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to off., C. of FA, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Mark H. Doty, retired, 31 Jan., disability incident to service.

Maj. Chester Hill, from Camp Shelby, Miss., to AC Rep. Tr. Cen., Kelly Fld., Tex.

Maj. John W. Wurts, Wash., D. C., det. in GSC.

Maj. Samuel P. Moyer, from Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark., to Air Service Comd., Duncan Fld., Tex.

Maj. David A. Washburn, jr., from Ft. Belvoir, Va., to FA Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Maj. Charles J. Davis, prior orders revoked, from Camp Bowie, Tex., 20 Jan., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Maj. Albert F. Hogle, prior orders amended, to SC Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Capt. Joseph Caccavajo, jr., Wash., D. C., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Capt. John G. Summerfeldt, from Ft. Dix, N. J., 31 Dec., to Ord. Rep. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

Capt. William I. Hart, from Camp Edwards, Mass., 3 Feb., to unit rendezvous, Methuen, Mass.

Capt. John N. Wilson, orders revoked.

Capt. Charles R. Frederick, from Bolling Fld., D. C., to hq. Army Air Forces, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Alfred L. Purrington, from Ft. Jackson, S. C., to off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Capt. Andrew J. Lynch, from Camp Forrest, Tenn., to USMA, West Point, N. Y.

1st Lt. Green Gilmour, prior orders amended read "1st Lt. Geen Gilmour."

1st Lt. Robert L. Stroud, from Camp Bowie, Tex., to ACTS, Sheppard Fld., Tex.

1st Lt. John B. Routh, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to FA Board, that station.

1st Lt. Zim E. Lawhon, jr., from Camp Livingston, La., 5 Jan., to CW Sch., Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

2nd Lt. Harland S. Laycock, prior orders amended, from Ft. Knox, Ky.

2nd Lt. Lon C. Claypool, from Ft. Sill, Okla., 1 Jan., to Electronics Tr. Group, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

2nd Lt. Eugene C. Carey, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 3 Jan., to San Antonio Air Depot, Duncan Fld., Tex.

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS

MAJ. GEN. JOSEPH A. GREEN, C. of CAC

Col. Donald B. Sanger, from San Francisco, Calif., to hq. 9th Corps Area, Presidio, that station.

Lt. Col. John W. McCormick, from Camp Davis, N. C., 31 Dec., to off. AG, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Albert C. Chesledon, retired, 30 April, upon own application.

Lt. Col. Edward A. McTameney, prior orders amended, Lt. Col. Edward A. McTamaney.

Lt. Col. William D. Evans, from Atlanta, Ga., to off., C. of CAC, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Edmund H. Stillman, to active duty, 1 Feb., date following retirement, to Michigan State College of Agri. and Applied Science, East Lansing, Mich.

Following Majs., from sta. ind., 5 Jan., to off., C. of Army Air Forces, Wash., D. C.: William F. McKee, Ft. Story, Va.; Samuel H. Morrow, Camp Davis, N. C.

Maj. William J. Burke, from Atlanta, Ga., to hq. Southern Defense Comd., New Orleans, La.

Maj. John W. C. Remaley, from Ft. Eustis, Va., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Capt. Raymond C. Alexander, prior orders amended, from Camp Haan, Calif.

1st Lt. Gordon L. Way, from McChord Fld., Wash., to Western AC Procurement Dist., Santa Monica, Calif.

1st Lt. Robert Wardle, jr., prior orders amended, from Atlanta, Ga., to off., Under Sec. of War, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Joe F. Thompson, from Camp Davis, N. C., to 4th CASC, Camp Tyson, Tenn.

2nd Lt. Ben M. West, from Randolph Fld., Tex., to CA Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Eustis, Va.

INFANTRY

MAJ. GEN. COURTNEY H. HODGES, C. of Inf.

Col. George R. Hedge, from Baltimore, Md., 31 Dec., to hq. 4th Corps Area, Atlanta, Ga.

Col. Harvey H. Fletcher, retirement revoked.

Col. Per. Ramee, from Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark., to Wentworth Military Academy, Lexington, Mo.

Col. Dallas D. Dennis, from Camp Haan, Calif., to C. O. of troops on USA transports, San Francisco Port of Embarkation, Ft. Mason, Calif.

Lt. Col. Chester J. Hirchfelder, prior orders revoked.

Lt. Col. Philip Doddridge, from Boise, Ida., 1 Jan., to AC Rep. Tr. Cen., Maxwell Fld., Ala.

Lt. Col. Roy W. Voege, to active duty, 1 Jan., date following retirement, to High Schools, Birmingham, Ala.

Lt. Col. Clifton A. Pritchett, Wash., D. C., 31 Dec., to off., of AG.

Following Lt. Cols. HD, det., to GSC.: Thomas H. Davies, Marvin W. Marsh, Emons B. Whisner.

Following off., prior orders amended, from Inf. Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Crowder, Mo., 4 Feb.: Lt. Col. Eugene R. Cowles, Maj. Albert H. Dickerson, Maj. Christian Hildebrand, Maj. Harry D. McHugh, Maj. Eugene H. Vernon.

Lt. Col. Orryl S. Robles, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Overseas Discharge and Rep. Depot, Port of Embarkation, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Lt. Col. Edgar J. Tulley, prior orders amended, to 9th CASC, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

Lt. Col. Orsen E. Paxton, from New York, N. Y., 5 Jan., to AG off., Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Fred M. Logan, prior orders amended, to hq. 9th Corps Area, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

Lt. Col. George A. Hunt, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to 7th CASC, Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.

Maj. Normando A. Costello, from Ft. Benning, Ga., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Maj. Garland H. Williams, from Edgewood Arsenal, Md., to Army Group, Wash., D. C.

Maj. Carl L. Owenby, from Orlando, Fla., to hq., Air Force Combat Comd., Bolling Fld., D. C.

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Maj. William M. Harton, from Camp Murray, Wash., to sta. comp., ACTS, Scott Fld., Ill.

Maj. Carl B. Smith, Wash., D. C., det. in GSC.

Maj. Lester Gallogly, from Columbus, O., 12 Jan., to Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.

Maj. Anthony W. Thomson, from Louisville, Ky., 12 Jan., to Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. McClellan, Ala.

Following Majs. from Ft. Benning, Ga., 12 Jan., to Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. McClellan, Ala.: Bernard Schmitz, Orve K. Hedden.

Maj. James H. Howard, from Camp Blanding, Fla., to C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

Maj. John R. Dryden, from Ft. Sill, Okla., 31 Dec., to GHQ, Army War College, Wash., D. C.

Following Majs., Wash., D. C., to GSC: Warren J. Clear, Frank T. McCabe.

Maj. Charles E. Kamp, det., to C. of MP, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 3 Jan., to MP Board, Arlington Cantonment, Va.

Maj. William S. Manning, orders revoked.

Following off., from Ft. Jackson, S. C., to Air Service Comd., Fairfield, O.: Maj. Carter L. Rhinehart, 1st Lt. John L. Armstrong.

Capt. John S. Hambleton, from Camp Claiborne, La., 1 Jan., to off., C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

Capt. John B. Stanley, from West Point, N. Y., 15 Jan., to off., C. of Morale Branch, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Clyde Campbell, from Indiantown Gap, Pa., 29 Jan., to unit rendezvous, Milton, Pa.

Capt. Charles Meyers, det., to C. of MP, from New Cumberland, Pa., 3 Jan., to off. PMG, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Milburn N. Huston, from Ft. Benning, Ga., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Capt. Clyde W. Drew, jr., from Camp Croft, S. C., to 7th CASC, Ft. Crook, Nebr.

Capt. Gilbert H. Davis, Wash., D. C., to hq., Army Air Forces, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Claude E. Fernandez, from University Station, La., 1 Feb., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Capt. Walker M. Riddle, from Camp Blanding, Fla., to off., QMG, Wash., D. C.

1st L. Collman E. Yodelson, from Camp Wheeler, Ga., to off., PMG, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Richard A. Bode, from Camp Lee, Va., 15 Jan., to Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.

1st Lt. Charles E. Miller, from Ft. Eustis, Va., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Gilbert E. Bursley, Wash., D. C., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. John E. Fain, from Ft. Bragg, N. C., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Claude V. Lyle, from Ft. Benning, Ga., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Rex G. Keeling, from Camp Blanding, Fla., to ACBFS, Sebring, Fla.

1st Lt. Wesley B. Edwards, from Camp Croft, S. C., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. James D. Carmichael, from Camp Barkeley, Tex., 31 Dec., to San Antonio Air Depot, Duncan Fld., Tex.

1st Lt. Orvie P. Anderson, from Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to off., IG, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Edward O. Dudoris, prior orders amended, "1st Lt. Edward O. Dudorics."

1st Lt George T. Michael, from Ft. Thomas, Ky., to Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.

1st Lt. William C. Hallow, from Camp Crowder, Mo., to Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. McClellan, Ala.

1st Lt. John T. Alden, from Ft. Knox, Ky., to faculty, AG Sch., Ft. Washington, Md.

1st Lt. Cordell Marshall, from Camp Blanding, Fla., to off., C. of Morale Branch, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Gustave R. Dahlin, from Camp Claiborne, La., 6 Feb., to unit rendezvous, Stillwater, Minn.

1st Lt. Carroll M. Cooper, from Ft. Jackson, S. C., 14 Feb., to inactive status.

1st Lt. Oscar N. Murdoch, prior orders amended, "Oscar N. Murdock."

1st Lt. Vincent V. Chaney, from Ft. Benning, Ga., 9 Jan., to instr. Engr. Sch., Ft. Belvoir, Va.

1st Lt. Gabriel Rouquie, jr., from Ft. Benning, Ga., to Inf. Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Croft, S. C.

1st Lt. Howard O. Mangnuson, Ft. Benning, Ga., to Inf. Sch. Ser. Comd., Ft. Benning, Ga.

1st Lt. Frederick A. Nelson, jr., from Ft. Benning, Ga., to off., C. of Inf., Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. John R. Wyant, from Camp Blanding, Fla., 31 Dec., to off., C. of O., Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Robert W. Beck, from Camp Gordon, Ga., 15 Jan., to off., Under Sec. of War, Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Claude L. Rigby, from Camp Roberts, Calif., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. William R. Coon, from Camp Wolters, Tex., 1 Feb., to Valley Forge Military Academy, Wayne, Pa.

2nd Lt. Albert C. Gaddis, from Las Vegas, Nev., to Sacramento Air Depot, subdepot, McCarran Fld., Nev.

2nd Lt. Arthur D. Melbourne, from New Orleans, La., to hq. Air Force Combat Comd., Bolling Fld., D. C.

2nd Lt. Robinson G. Minick, from Ft. Bragg, N. C., 15 Jan., to QM Depot, Boston, Mass.

AIR CORPS

MAJ. GEN. GEORGE H. BRETT, C. OF AC

Col. Ulysses G. Jones, from Baer Fld., Ind., to Westover Fld., Mass.

Col. Donald P. Muse, (Lt. Col.), temp. appointment as Col., terminated, 20 Jan., from Governors Island, N. Y., 20 Jan., to home to await retirement.

Lt. Col. John C. Whytlow, jr., orders revoked.

Lt. Col. Roland Birnn, Wash., D. C., to GSC.

Lt. Col. Glenn C. Salisbury, from Governors Island, N. Y., to 4th CASC, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Lt. Col. Luther S. Smith, from Maxwell Fld., Ala., 5 Jan., to off., C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. John F. McBlain, from Wash., D. C., to Southeast AC Tr. Cen., Maxwell Fld., Ala.

Following Majs., from Albuquerque, N. Mex., to sta. ind.: John P. Kenny, to ACAFS, Midland, Tex.; William M. Garland, to ACAFS, Midland, Tex.; James W. Andrew, to ACAFS, Lubbock, Tex.

Maj. James R. Worthington, prior orders amended, from Ft. Smith, Ark.

Maj. Samuel A. Mundell, from Dayton, O., to ACTS, Keesler Fld., Miss.

Maj. Charles E. Cox, jr., from Moffett Fld., Calif., to hq, 1st Corps Area, Boston, Mass.

Maj. Henry L. Felt, from Fairfield, O., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.

Maj. Clarence W. Forshee, from Middletown, Pa., to Eastern AC Procurement Dist., New York, N. Y.

Maj. Bartlett Beaman, Wash., D. C., to hq, Army Air Forces, Wash., D. C.

Maj. Adrian Williamson, prior orders amended, from Eglin Fld., Fla.

Maj. Russell Scott, Port Columbus, O., to Air Service Comd., that station.

Maj. John P. McConnell, from Maxwell Fld., Ala., to off., C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

Following Capt., from Davis-Monthon Fld., Ark., to Air Service Comd., Subdepot, that station: Howard A. Moody, Orville D. Thompson.

Capt. Robert W. Rulkoetter, from Brooks Fld., Tex., to AC Tech. supervisor, Mobile, Ala.

Capt. George F. O'Neill, prior orders revoked.

Capt. Charles S. Carter, Atlanta, Ga., to hq. 4th Corps Area, Atlanta, Ga.

Capt. Walter F. Reagan, from Indianapolis, Ind., to Air Service Comd., Port Columbus, Columbus, O.

1st Lt. Charles A. Glover, jr., from Olmsted Fld., Pa., to off. C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Audrin R. Walker, from Barksdale Fld., La., to ACAFS, Maxwell Fld., Ala.

Following off., prior orders revoked, from sta. ind., to sta. specified: 1st Lt. Charles M. Lawter, (FA), from Camp Barkeley, Tex., to 127th Obs. Sq., Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.; 2nd Lt. Samuel W. Lipscomb, (FA), from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to 110th Obs. Sq., Little Rock, Ark.

1st Lt. Kenneth H. Gibson, from Albuquerque, N. Mex., to Army Air Base, Tucson, Ariz.

1st Lt. Don Coupland, Wright Fld., O., to hq. Air Service Comd., that station.

1st Lt. Richard G. Herbine, from Kelly Fld., Tex., to AC Gunnery Sch., Harlingen, Tex.

1st Lt. Herbert G. Monson, from New York, N. Y., to Frankford Arsenal, Pa.

Following 2nd Lts., from Lowry Fld., Colo., to Army Air Base, Albuquerque, N. Mex.: Clinton S. Adams, Robert P. Butler, Thomas L. Cox, Helmuth E. Stromquist.

2nd Lt. James H. Gilmore, Sherman, Tex., to Subdepot, that station.

2nd Lt. Burrall Barnum, from Wash., D. C., to Mitchel Fld., N. Y.

2nd Lt. Charles R. Dole, from Hensley Fld., Tex., to Barksdale Fld., La.

2nd Lt. James M. Keefe, from Long Beach, Calif., to Air Service Comd., San Diego, Calif.

2nd Lt. Jacob Follmer, from AC Tr. Cen., Maxwell Fld., Ala., to Chanute Fld., Ill.

Following 2nd Lts., from Lowry Fld., Colo., to sta. ind.: Robert L. Dean, MacDill Fld., Fla.; Eugene H. Dorr, Kelly Fld., Tex.; John Z. Hargrove, jr., Selfridge Fld., Mich.; Charles R. Hughes, Kelly Fld., Tex.; Harold D. Jefferson, MacDill Fld., Fla.; John W. Johnson, MacDill Fld., Fla.; John R. Laughlin, Army Air Base, Pendleton, Ore.; Felix C. McKean, Army Air Base, Pendleton, Ore.; Edward W. Mattingly, Army Air Base, Savannah, Ga.; Vasken Moomjian, Army Air Base, Savannah, Ga.; George S. Murphy, jr., Kelly Fld., Tex.; Philip A. Neal, Army Air Base, Pendleton, Ore.; Howard W. Potter, jr., Army Air Base, Savannah, Ga.; Bruce St. John, Bowman Fld., Ky.; Morris B. Sjorberg, Army Air Base, Pendleton, Ore.; Ola P. Thorne, Kelly Fld., Tex.; Jack A. Webb, Mitchel Fld., N. Y.; Allen S. Zien, Kelly Fld., Tex.

OFFICE OF THE PROVOST MARSHALL GENERAL

Maj. Gen. Allen W. Gullion, PMG

Maj. Francis E. Howard, from Panama Canal Dept., to U. S. Military mission, San Jose, Costa Rica.

Maj. William H. Maglin, from West Point, N. Y., 5 Jan., to GHQ, Army War College, Wash., D. C.

Maj. Francis E. Howard, prior orders revoked.

Capt. Charles S. McClesky, (Inf.), prior orders revoked.

Capt. Ashton H. Manhart, (Inf.), prior orders revoked.

Following off., det. to C. of MP, from sta. ind., to faculty, MP Sch., Arlington Cantonment, Va.: Capt. Leslie C. Cave, FA, Camp Shelby, Miss.; Capt. Brainard E. Prescott, Inf., Ft. Dix, N. J.; Capt. Alvin Sauer, Cav., Ft. Jackson, S. C.; 1st Lt. John G. Clary, QMC, Ft. George G. Meade, Md.; 1st Lt. John K. Daly, Inf., Ft. Devens, Mass.; 1st Lt. William P. Huntzicker, Cav., Memphis, Tenn.; 1st Lt. Monte K. Pierce, Inf., Ft. Bragg, N. C.; 2nd Lt. Paul Goff, Inf., Camp Polk, La.; 2nd Lt. Allen G. Miller, QMC, Ft. Devens, Mass.; 2nd Lt. Anthony E. Papa, Inf., Ft. Dix, N. J.

1st Lt. Leonard D. Frescoln, (CWS), Edgewood Arsenal, Md., from detail in C. of MP, 6 Jan.

Following off., prior orders revoked: 1st Lt. Robert M. Holaday, (Inf.); 1st Lt. Dudley C. Murphy, (Inf.); 2nd Lt. Henry G. Smith, (CAC).

2nd Lt. Rex Appelgate (Inf.), from Ft. Lewis, Wash., 1 Jan., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

SPECIALIST

Maj. David P. Page, Wash., D. D., det. in GSC.

ORDERS TO RETIRED OFFICERS

Col. Troy H. Middletown, to active duty, 20 Jan., rank of Lt. Col., to Inf. Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Lt. Col. Earl A. Hyde, to active duty, 15 Jan., to off., C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Oscar W. Hoop, to active duty, 5 Jan., to off., C. of Morale Branch, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. John F. Wall, to active duty, 10 Jan., to hq., Third Corps Area, Baltimore, Md.

1st Lt. Donald F. Carroll, to active duty, 12 Jan., to USMA, West Point, N. Y.

PROMOTIONS

1st Lt. Philip P. Rodriguez, DC, to Capt., 31 Dec.

1st Lt. Thomas B. Seay, DC, to Capt., 31 Dec.

2nd Lt. Frank E. Howard, Inf., to 1st Lt. 31 Dec.

Following off., to rank ind., 30 Dec.: Patrick R. Arnold, Air, 1st Lt.; George F. Baker, QM, Capt.; Harold C. Bastron, Med., Capt.; Carl J. Benning, Dent., Maj.; William G. Brill, Inf., Maj.; Jack C. Carmichael, Sig., 1st Lt.; Donald C. Carner, MA, 1st Lt.; Donald W. Caven, Engr., Maj.; Henry J. Cluver, Engr., 1st Lt.; Leon L. Combs, jr., Ord., Capt.; John W. Finn, Inf., Capt.; Woodrow W. Frankhouser, Inf., 1st Lt.; Morris W. Greenberg, Med., Capt.; James A. Hamilton, Engr., Maj.; Ralph B. Herzog, JAG, Maj.; James F. Hoffman, MA, Capt.; James H. Howard, Med., Capt.; Frank J. Jury, Cav., Capt.; John H. Justus, Ch., Capt.; Charles L. Kimsey, Inf., 1st Lt.; James D. Land, CA, Capt.; Arthur A. McGill, AG, Maj.; Earle Morton, Inf., Capt.; John A. Norton, Med., Capt.; William M. Perryman, jr., QM, 1st Lt.; William R. Power, Med., Capt.; Warder Rannells, FA, Maj.; Millard O. Reese, Cav., Capt.; John E. Richards, Ch., Capt.; Anthony T. Sedlak, AG, 1st Lt.; Harry L. Woodall, jr., FA, Capt.; Wilfrid V. Worland, Engr., Capt.

Following off., to rank indicated, 31 Dec.: George S. Allen, Med., Capt.; Paul Arndt, jr., QM, 1st Lt.; Charles F. Arny, jr., Inf., Maj.; George B. Baittinger, QM, Capt.; Henry C. Becker, Cav., Capt.; Basil T. Bennett, jr., Med., Capt.; Charles R. Bliss, Inf., 1st Lt.; Paul LeC. Brand, II, FA, Capt.; Karl T. Brusa, Engr., 1st Lt.; Charles A. Burnett, FA, Maj.; James R. Chambliss, jr., Cav., Maj.; Dudley B. Cocke, Air, Maj.; Charles W. Colston, Inf., Maj.; John K. Daley, Inf., Capt.; Chester A. Dean, Inf., Capt.; Frederick W. Dies, Inf., Capt.; Charles C. Ege, Inf., Maj.; Gregory G. Floridis, Med., Capt.; John P. Goodman, AG, Maj.; Orville G. Goodrich, Sig., 1st Lt.; Roy Greenbaum, Med., Capt.; William W. Hill, FA, 1st Lt.; Lewis S. Johnson, jr., Air, 1st Lt.; Francis E. Kimble, Inf., 1st Lt.; Sidney Klein, CA, Capt.; Francis J. Kreisa, QM, Maj.; William H. Leadbetter, Inf., 1st Lt.; Douglas Lewis, Dent., Capt.; William T. McAninch, FA, Capt.; Thomas G. McCollom, jr., Inf., Maj.; David C. McNeeley, FA, Capt.; Arthur N. Mager, MA, Capt.; George W. Marsh, Med., Capt.; Howard A. Marvill, QM, Capt.; John E. Miller, FA, 1st Lt.; Fred Morgan, jr., Fin., 1st Lt.; Virgil Ney, Inf., Maj.; John R. Olson, FA, 1st Lt.; Earl R. Otis, Inf., 1st Lt.; Karl M. Pattee, Engr., Maj.; Elmer V. Perry, jr., CA, Capt.; Arthur R. Porterfield, Engr., 1st Lt.; George W. Power, Inf., Maj.; William C. Rindsland, CA, Capt.; Charles T. Root, Med., Maj.; Carroll, E. Scott, Sig., Maj.; Howard V. Sears, Engr., 1st Lt.; Loeb B. Sheifer, QM, Capt.; Milo G. Sherwood, Inf., Maj.; Mark Shovar, Inf., Capt.; Gilbert B. Shure, Ord., Capt.; Daniel F. Skeath, MA, 1st Lt.; Hugh Smith, CA, 1st Lt.; Lynn D. Smith, CA, Maj.; James H. Steele, Inf., Maj.; William H. Stone, Dent., Capt.; Russell H. Sweet, FA, Maj.; Hugh R. Thompson, jr., Inf., 1st Lt.; Leland K. Warrick, Ord., Capt.; Nathan Werter, Med., Capt.

1st Lt. Richard I. Crone, MC, to Capt., 1 Jan.

Following off., to rank ind., 1 Jan.: James W. Adams, Dent., Capt.; Ernst H. Andersen, Sig., Capt.; William A. Castles, Med., Capt.; William L. Dale, Inf., Capt.; Marcus M. Guzzetta, Med., Capt.; John J. Hanson, QM, Capt.; George O. Harding, Inf., 1st Lt.; Kendall E. Hewett, Inf., 1st Lt.; Harold A. Knutson, QM, 1st Lt.; Robert M. Lande, CW, 1st Lt.; Philip G. Leavy, Med., Capt.; Thomas R. McAndrew, FA, Capt.; Stevens J. Martin, Med., Capt.; Jack Meltzer, Med., Capt; James D. O'Donnell, Cav., 1st Lt.; Thomas W. Rafferty, Air, Capt.; Frederick J. Ricketts, Med., Capt.; Robert H. Robbins, Med., Capt.; Joseph Sklaver, Med., Capt.; Joseph S. White Smith, JAG, Maj.; Powell H. Taylor, Air, 1st Lt.; Robert Wardle, jr., CA, Capt.

Following off., to rank ind., 2 Jan.: Horace E. Alphin, Inf., Capt.; Harold E. Bell, FA, 1st Lt.; Samuel E. Burns, Fin., Capt.; John M. Carney, Inf., 1st Lt.; William F. Confair, Med., Maj.; Murray E. Cox, Inf., Capt.; Jean H. Culbertson, Ord., 1st Lt.; Richard O. Davidson, Inf., 1st Lt.; Williston N. Davis, Air, Maj.; Wilson B. De Chant, Ch., Maj.; John E. Dempsey, Ord., 1st Lt.; Clarence P. Dittman, Air, Capt.; Frank B. Fisher, jr., FA, Capt.; Daniel M. Harvey, Inf., Capt.; John R. Heidenreich, Med., Capt.; Leslie C. Hiltebeitel, Inf., Maj.; Ernest H. Huff, Inf., Maj.; Richard W. Johnson, Inf., Capt.; Charles H. Leighton, QM, 1st Lt.; William P. Leonard, jr., Med., Capt.; James V. Loftus, QM, 1st Lt.; Robert A. McCord, jr., Cav., 1st Lt.; Skelton M. McCray, Ch., Maj.; Harold C. McGrath, Engr., 1st Lt.; Raymond F. McNally, jr., Inf., Capt.; George Mironoff, QM, Maj.; George K. Moody, Inf., Capt.; Logan C. Osterndorf, Inf., 1st Lt.; Alvan P. Parker, Inf., 1st Lt.; Samuel Patrick, jr., Inf., Capt.; Joseph F. Puett, Inf., Capt.; Herbert P. Ramsayer, Med., Capt.; Clarence W. Reuter, Med., Capt.; Robert C. Rodgers, Inf., Capt.; John H. Seamans, CW, Maj.; Leonard B. Solomon, Med., Capt.; Joseph A. Springer, Inf., Maj.; William E. Strecker, Med., Capt.; James M. Sullivan, Med., Capt.; Robert G. Wight, Dent., Capt.; Charles N. Wyatt, Med., Maj.; Wilbur M. Young, Ord., Capt.; Edward P. Zayaz, Inf., 1st Lt.

Following off., to rank ind., 3 Jan.: Charles T. Bauer, FA, Capt.; Edward S. Benas, Inf., Capt.; Robert A. Brown, jr., Med., Capt.; Aldean A. Eakin, QM, Capt.; Franklin W. Frickey, Inf., 1st Lt.; Harold L. Geick, QM, Vet., Capt.; George H. Ketcham, QM, Capt.; Amel F. Kiszonak, Inf., Capt.; George B. Kuite, Med., Capt.; Joseph C. McCain, FA, Capt.; William F. McCall, jr., Engr., 1st Lt.; Charles G. McCausland, MA, 1st Lt.; Everett E. Mitchell, Inf., Capt.; Lloyd S. Nelson, Ord., 1st Lt.; Robert B. Patterson, Ord., Capt.; Vivian B. Peckham, Inf., Maj.; William F. Robinson, Ord., Capt.; Theodore E. Schoeni, Dent., Capt.; Ralph C. Shea, Ch., Capt.

Following Majs., to Lt. Cols., 4 Jan.: Neal D. Franklin, JAGD; Henry C. Clark, JAGD; Harold O. Godwin, QMC; James A. Gilruth, QMC; Thomas J. Weed, QMC; Jacob H. Osterman, QMC; Richard K. LeBrun, FD; Hardy V. Brown, FD; Robert B. Woolverton, SC; Lonnie O. Field, FA; Orley DeF. Bowman, CAC; William J. Kunzmann, Inf.; Henry J. Boettcher, Inf.; Maurice S. Kerr, Inf.; Charles W. Sullivan, AC; Melvin B. Asp, AC; George C. McDonald, AC; Peter E. Skanse, AC; Malcolm N. Stewart, AC; Arthur G. Liggett, AC.

2nd Lt. William B. Hunt, AC, to 1st Lt., 5 Jan.

Following off., to rank ind., 5 Jan.: Richard W. Angert, CA, Maj.; Reno Bitzel, Inf., 1st Lt.; George L. Hart, jr., FA, Maj.; Earl E. Holt, QM, Capt.; John M. Kenderdine, QM, Capt.; James A. Moore, Air, Maj.; Carl M. Poling, Inf., Capt.; Michael Popowski, jr., Cav., Capt.; Edward J. Rhoad, jr., Sig., Capt.; William E. Ross, QM, 1st Lt.; Donald L. Sibray, Ord., Maj.; Edwin L. Tolonen, QM, 1st Lt.

TEMPORARY PROMOTIONS

Following off., Philippine Dept., to rank ind., 19 Dec.: James H. Baldwin, FA, 1st Lt.; Harold F. Bishop, AG, Capt.; Eugene F. Boyt, Engr., 1st Lt.; Arthur B. Carlton, QM, Maj.; David G. Erickson, QM, Capt.; Melvin W. Evans, Engr., Capt.; Wendell W. Fertig, Engr., Lt. Col.; Hugh H. Fink, QM, Capt.; Harry O. Fischer, Engr., Maj.; Joseph J. Hughes, QM, Maj.; Ralph Keeler, Capt.; Francis M. Lunnie, MA, 1st Lt.; Graham S. Mallett, Inf., 1st Lt.; Lee G. Miles, Inf., Capt.; Austin J. Montgomery, QM, Maj.; Reginald M. Polk, Sig., 1st Lt.; Ellwood L. Roderick, MA, 1st Lt.; Ralph W. Yoder, QM, 1st Lt.

Following off., to rank ind., 31 Dec.: Joseph P. Biggs, jr., Inf., 1st Lt.; Herbert C. Bishop, FA, Capt.; Lotus B. Blackwell, Sig., 1st Lt.; Vance W. Booker, FA, 1st Lt.; Henry W. Butler, Inf., Maj.; Robert B. Cantrell, FA, 1st Lt.; Paul A. Conrad, QM, Capt.; Frank J. Coughlin, CA, Capt.; Harry P. Cousans, Engr., 1st Lt.; Paul D. Cummings, Sig., 1st Lt.; Thomas J. Drum, FA, Capt.; John E. Fernsler, Air, 1st Lt.; Donald W. Flinn, Air, Capt.; Frank E. Fulgham, FA, Maj.; Kenneth S. Gray, CA, Capt.; Golden C. Guiver,

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Following off., to rank ind., 30 Dec.: Taylor B. Lewis, jr., CA, to 1st Lt.; James Southworth, jr., Inf., to 1st Lt.

Following off., to rank ind., 30 Dec.: Clearne S. Bender, FA, Maj.; Edward J. Condon, Inf., 1st Lt.; John J. Fliarski, Inf., 1st Lt.; Bob I. Golden, Cav., 1st Lt.; Herbert H. Hauge, Cav., Capt.; Mathias J. House, Inf., Capt.; John J. Wurme, CA, 1st Lt.

2nd Lt. Philemon A. St. Amant, to 1st Lt., 1 Jan.

Following off., to rank ind., 1 Jan.: Sherman M. Ashmore, QM, 1st Lt.; Wilber E. Beach, Med., Lt. Col.; Clovis A. Brown, QM, Capt.; Ray Caswell, QM, Capt.; Frank Cofield, FA, 1st Lt.; Joseph H. Daniel, Inf., 1st Lt.; Roy W. Douglas, QM, 1st Lt.; Roland E. Eaton, Inf., Capt.; John R. Erickson, Inf., Capt.; Jack E. Finks, QM, Maj.; Frank H. Fogel, FA, 1st Lt.; James J. Gillespie, Inf., Capt.; Charles H. Hallett, Air, Capt.; Nelson F. Hule, Inf., Capt.; Roy O. Irvin, Inf., Capt.; Harry B. Johansen, Air, Capt.; Arthur A. Kanstrup, Inf., Capt.; Louis P. Labbe, Inf., 1st Lt.; Patrick V. McGurran, Inf., Capt.; John E. Orr, Inf., Capt.; James T. Quinn, Air, Capt.; Howard B. Ralston, Inf., 1st Lt.; Ernest S. Rambo, Inf., Capt.; William N. Tarrance, Inf., Capt.; John J. Toman, FA, Capt.; Arthur D. Wilson, Inf., 1st Lt.

Following off., to rank ind., 2 Jan.: Merian C. Cooper, Air, Maj.; Edward P. Curtis, Air, Lt. Col.; James H. Doolittle, Air, Lt. Col.; Richard D. Morgan, Air, 1st Lt.; Edward O. Babcock, Inf., Capt.; Winton B. Blair, Engr., 1st Lt.; Glen V. Blakeslee, Inf., 1st Lt.; Napoleon Blanchette, Inf., 1st Lt.; Michael L. Boraczek, CA, 1st Lt.; Julian C. Clopton, jr., QM, Capt.; Charles J. Crawford, Cav., Capt.; John H. Danner, Inf., Capt.; Emmett A. Ehlers, QM, 1st Lt.; Carlos V. Gallegos, Engr., Capt.; Harold A. Graves, Inf., 1st Lt.; Lee J. Hansen, QM, 1st Lt.; Robert W. Harnett, CA, Capt.; Boyd LeR. Johnson, FA, 1st Lt.; August A. Kastner, Inf., Capt.; Emmett J. Kelly, Air, Capt.; Emil Khail, Inf., Capt.; Ralph A. Lewis, QM, Maj.; Floyd A. Monroe, Inf., 1st Lt.; Robert A. Moser, FA, 1st Lt.; Lawrence L. Mullins, FA, Capt.; Curtiss W. Oakes, Inf., Capt.; Charles A. O'Reilly, jr., CA, Capt.; Christopher L. Pappas, CA, 1st Lt.; Glenn G. Parmer, FA, 1st Lt.; Vercil L. Patterson, FA, 1st Lt.; Joseph R. Pursley, Inf., Capt.; Forest G. Rhodes, QM, Capt.; Lloyd H. Rockwell, Inf., Capt.; Donald R. Rosenkrans, Inf., Capt.; Roy W. Ross, QM, Maj.; Byron P. Sadler, Cav., Capt.; Gerald J. Scalise, Inf., 1st Lt.; Botho R. Schenck, QM, 1st Lt.; Robert W. Schiller, Inf., Capt.; George R. Schmucker, FA, Maj.; Sidney Senfeld, Med., Capt.; William F. Snellman, Inf., Capt.; Hubert P. Speck, Inf., 1st Lt.; Harry W. Storm, FA, Maj.; Theodore L. Urbas, Inf., 1st Lt.; Thomas M. Uzzell, QM, Capt.; George H. Webster, FA, 1st Lt.; Harry E. Werner, Cav., Capt.; James G. Williamson, CA, Capt.

Following off., to rank ind., 3 Jan.: Weir Adamson, CA, Capt.; Gordon Bess, Inf., Capt.; Winston S. Brooks, CA, 1st Lt.; John W. Carlson, Inf., 1st Lt.; James McE. Cherry, Inf., Maj.; John T. Gwynne, Air, 1st Lt.; Asher W. Harman, Inf., Maj.; William C. Heard, jr., CA, 1st Lt.; Henry R. Johnson, CA, Maj.; Josef C. Jordan, FA, Capt.; John J. Kelly, Inf., 1st Lt.; James A. Kirkland, Engr., Maj.; James W. Nichols, QM, Maj.; John A. Peters, Cav., 1st Lt.; Orin Le V. Rogers, Inf., 1st Lt.; William F. Schwartz, Inf., 1st Lt.; Norwood S. Sothoron, CA, Capt.; Eric A. Stuve, Air, 1st Lt.; Frank L. Tracy, CA, Capt.; Julian A. Walker, CA, Capt.; Dennis R. Ward, CA, Capt.; Thomas J. Watson, jr., Air, 1st Lt.; Paul A. Zartman, Air, Maj.

Following off., to rank ind., 5 Jan.: Luis E. Boothby, Inf., 1st Lt.; Anderson R. Dunn, jr., CA, Capt.; Wilburn Fox, QM, 1st Lt.; William G. Page, Inf., 1st Lt.; Emmett C. Rankin, CA, Capt.; Howard T. Shafer, Sig., Capt.; Granville E. Tyson, FA, Capt.; Haywood D. Veasey, CA, Capt.

Following 1st Lts., to Capts., 24 Dec.: John H. Peacock, jr., Med.; Adam J. Rapalski, Med.; George W. Speed, Med.; Wilmer H. Starr, Med.

Following Capts., MC, to Majs., 24 Dec.: William R. Albus, William D. Sanderson, Saul L. Avner, George L. Ball, Walter T. Becker, Herbert J. Bell, Marshall M. Best, Philip L. Bettler, William R. Bishop, Gerson R. Biskind, William A. Boice, Eldon L. Belton, Warner F. Bowers, Norman Q. Brill, Ernest Brock, Ogden C. Bruton, Charles C. Burzynski, Eugene A. Bush, James W. Callaway, Winfield B. Carson, jr., Winston E. Carswell, Keith M. Clisby, Leo J. Cogan, Joseph B. Coopwood, William S. Cornell, John M. Cotton, Alexander McN. Cox, Frederic M. Crump, Francis C. Curtzwiler, Lawrence R. Custer, John R. Davenport, Henry E. Davidson, Howell J. Davis, James G. Dees, Carl J. DePrizio, Joel LeR. Deuterman, Jackson B. Dismukes, Arthur Dobkin, Arthur V. E. Donaldson, Donald Donley, David E. Ehrlich, Franklin G. Eldridge, Lee K. Emenhiser, Malcolm J. Farrell, Nathanial LeR. Feldman, David W. Fey, Seymour Fisher, Nathan Freeman, Elmer W. Fugitt, Leslie M. Garrett, Edmund O. Gates, Orlando F. Gerodetti, Charles S. Glisson, jr., William H. Goering, James H. Gordon, Richard B. Grant, jr., Lilburn S. Greenwood, Antonio Guijarro, Michael A. Guthrie, Frank W. Halpin, Isaac E. Harris, jr., William C. Hartland, Everett F. Haukenberry, Esten L. Hazlett, Oscar C. Helming, jr., Cecil P. Herrington, Ford K. Hick, John L. Hillery, Ernest E. Howerton, Paul N. Ivins, Harry H. Jenkins, Bourne Jerome, Neil Johnson, Alexander A. Johnstone, Milton A. Juster, Louis N. Kerstein, James H. Kidder, Thomas M. Kirk, William F. Klotz, Howard C. Knapp, James E. Knighton, Louis F. Knoepp, William M. Krigsten, John D. Lamon, jr., Howard L. Lange, Elton W. LeHew, Carl J. Lind, jr., Arthur P. Long, Jack W. P. Love, Edward W. Ludwig, Erwin P. Ludwig, William H. McCarroll, James F. McDowell, Joseph S. McGuinness, Hugh A. McKinley, Robert E. Mailliard, Donald C. Malcolm, Albert E. Mango, Gerhard R. Manske, William M. Marbut, Norvil A. Martin, Austin W. Matthis, Isadore C. Middleman, John B. Miles, Paul H. Milton, Walter H. Minor, jr., Hugh F. Mullenmeister, Tell Nelson, John W. Roy Norton, William M. O'Brien, Dickinson S. Pepper, Clarice M. Phillips, Francis D. Pierce, Charles A. Pigford, David L. Reeves, Lyman K. Richardson, Martin J. Rosenthal, Harold W. Rusbridge, Edgar A. Rygh, Carl A. Schillander, William H. Schomengerdt, Willard W. Schuessler, Dan Roy Sewell, Frank K. Sewell, Dwight B. Shaw, Bernard Smiley, Earl E. Smith, John L. Stapleton, Abraham M. Stegeman, Samuel E. Stuart, Robert G. Swearingen, Archie H. Tax, Samuel R. Terhune, Robert T. Terry, Norman W. Thiessen, Alfred J. Treherne, George C. Turnbull, John R. Vasko, David Wagner, Lorenz McB. Waller, Aaron C. Ward, Thomas D. Waring, Jasper D. West, Carl G. Wingquist, James C. Wright, Mark Zeifert, Michael R. Zeigler.

APPOINTMENTS

2nd Lt. Ralph B. Martin, CE, to 2nd Lt., CE, Reg. Army, 1 Jan., to 15th Eng. Bn., Ft. Bragg, N. C.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS

Lt. Col. John H. Hilldring, GSC, to Col., 22 Dec.

Lt. Col. Alfred M. Gruenther, GSC, to Col., 27 Dec.

Capt. Herbert L. Harries, USA, ret., to Lt. Col., 19 Dec.

Ch. (Capt.) John E. Duffy, to Maj., 19 Dec.

Col. Perry Wainer (Lt. Col.) AC, temp. appointment as Col. terminated, 3 Jan.

Following Lt. Cols., AC, to Cols., 2 Jan.: Arthur W. Vanaman, Harold L. George.

Following 1st Lts., MC, to Capts., 24 Dec.: William M. Jackson, Thomas T. Beeler, jr., Charles H. Talbott, Edward M. Gunn, Raymond A. Lawn, James W. Humphreys, jr., Joseph H. Bornstein, George S. Bozalis, Willard H. Cleveland, Carl Z. Berry, John L. Dixon, John N. Furst, Walter A. Butkus, Harvey G. Tousignant, John P. Harney, Vernon D. Pettit, James H. Smith, Lee F. Ferrell, Robert C. Hunter, jr.

Capt. William A. Todd, jr., MC, to Maj., 24 Dec.

Maj. Edwin L. Sibert, FA, to Lt. Col.

Following 1st Lts., MC, to Capt., 24 Dec.: Donald H. Earl, Other F. Speaker, Otto A. Wurl.

Following off., to rank ind., 19 Dec.: To colonel—Lt. Col. Carlton L. Vanderboget, MC; Lt. Col. James W. Duckworth, MC; To lt. colonel—Maj. James O. Gillespie, MC; Maj. William R. Craig, MC; To major—Capt. Kenneth R. Hagen, MC; Capt. Eugene C. Jacobs, MC; Capt. Stephen C. Sitter, MC; Capt. James A. McCloskey, MC; Capt. Edwin S. Kagy, MC.

Following off., to rank ind., 19 Dec.: To colonel—Lt. Col. James G. Monihan, GSC; Lt. Col. John D. Cook, PS; Lt. Col. JamesT. Menzie, AGD; Lt. Col. Frank Brezina, USA, ret.; Lt. Col. Frederick A. Ward, PS; Lt. Col. Arthur W. Parker, QMC; To lieutenant colonel—Maj. John T. Ward, QMC; Maj. Harry E. Magnuson, QMC; Maj. Girvelle L. Field, CAC; Maj. Edward C. Mack, Inf.; To major—Capt. Robert B. Lothrop, CE; Capt. Robert F. Haggerty, CAC; Capt. James T. McClellan, Inf.; To captain—1st Lt. Wiley L. Dixon, jr., Inf.

Following Majs., to Lt. Cols., 24 Dec.:

C. W. West, JAGD
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W. D. Buie, Inf.
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G. H. Bare, QMC
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D. W. Goodrich, AC
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W. E. Niles, OD
J. R. Hamilton, Inf.
H. C. Jones, Inf.
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W. F. Jennings, Cav.
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C. C. B. Warden, AGD
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McD. D. Weinert, CE
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SERVICE NEWS AND GOSSIP

Foreign Affairs—The vigor and determination of President Roosevelt's address to Congress on Tuesday has had world wide repercussions—all favorable to the cause of the nations united against the Axis. The gigantic scope of the President's plans, and their prompt acceptance by the American Congress, the press, and the public, gave new heart and enthusiasm to our fighting partners. Publicly, the Italians, and to a lesser extent, the Germans, spoke contemptuously of the stupendous program, but in their inner councils it doubtless caused much worry and concern, for no matter what they tell their people, they must begin to realize that the program is within the capacity of the United States and that our people mean to subject themselves to the sacrifices necessary to carry it out. One of the most salutary effects of the masterly address is that upon nations such as Spain and Portugal, who know the powerful, rich America has resources far beyond those available to the Nazis, and who will give serious thought before giving too much aid and comfort to the enemies of the United States. The Vichy government, too, is deeply impressed. By sowing in the minds of these nations the thought that there is a power in the world greater, more powerful, and more determined than the dangerous Nazis, President Roosevelt has made a major contribution to the dissolution of the German myth. To this end, no effort was spared to see that the message reached every potential listener, for it was broadcast and rebroadcast, generally and by directional beam, by short wave and in all major languages.

Also of great importance to the morale of the anti-axis peoples and of great influence in the councils of the neutrals is the signing of the pact banning a separate peace by any of the 26 signatories with the Axis. This show of determination to fight the war against the Axis to a finish, regardless of cost and sacrifice, also was utilized to its fullest extent by world wide dissemination. At home Secretary of War Stimson gave out a statement in which he said that "this declaration assures the final triumph of the democracies over the brutal force of the Axis powers. It makes it certain that the entire resources, military and economic, of all the united nations will be used against the countries with which they are at war." Simultaneously, Secretary of the Navy Knox said that the agreement "marks, I hope and believe, the dawn of a new era in world history. Their joint pledge to free the earth, and the waters that surround it, of the shackles of Hitlerism can have but one result—victory—to be followed by a peace which all are agreed must guarantee equal opportunity for all peoples, great or small. To accomplish their aim the allied nations are prepared for all-out sacrifice. The war, at whatever cost, must be won. Then peace, a just and righteous peace, must be made. Now, and until victory is achieved we must fight with everything we have."

The unity of purpose evidenced in the 26-power pact, was expressed militarily by the announcement from the White House of the appointment of General Sir Archibald Wavell to the Supreme Command of the land, sea, and air forces of the United Nations in the Southwest Pacific Area. The United States was represented in the high command by General Brett, as deputy Supreme Commander, and by Admiral Hart as commander of the naval contingents. General Chiang Kai-Shek was given command of the forces in the general China area. The valiant Dutch, who have inflicted so much damage upon the marauding Japanese, were not represented in the high command. It may have been for that reason, as well as for the strategic location, that General Wavell announced that he would establish his headquarters at Java. The Dutch, whose interest in the rich area is greater than most of the others, have let it be known that as long ago as 30 Nov., while Japanese-United States negotiations were under way, they realized that something was amiss in the Japanese conduct, tried to arouse some interest in the home government, failing in which they did their best to place their defenses in order. Their wisdom has been rewarded with many praiseworthy successes.

On 8 Jan. our delegation left for Rio de Janeiro to attend the important Pan-American meeting there. Their problem is a most delicate and vital one. Thus far the only nations whole-heartedly joining the United States in the all-out defense against the Axis are those in Central America and the Caribbean. Many of the larger South American nations are troubled with fifth columnist activities and undercover efforts to woo them from the policy of continental solidarity.

Army Air Forces—In a move to decentralize Air Corps promotions, officials of the Office Chief of Air Corps are revising AR 615-5 which governs the promotion, appointments and reduction of non-commissioned personnel. At the present time, all promotions of the first and second pay grades are made by the Office Chief of Air Corps. Under the new plan, these promotions would be placed in the field in the hands of designated commanding officers. The new plan gives group commanders of the Army Air Force, commanders of training centers or technical centers, etc., authority to promote non-commissioned officers of these two grades at their discretion. The Office Chief of Air Corps, which heretofore has made all promotions of the first two pay grades, would maintain eligible lists for only those small units under its immediate control, which amount to only about one per cent of the total promotions.

Col. Albert L. Sneed has been named commanding officer of the Southwest Air Corps Training Center, Maxwell Field, Ala., succeeding Maj. Gen. Walter R. Weaver, now acting Chief of the Air Corps in the absence of Maj. Gen. George H. Brett, Deputy Commander of the Unified Command of the Southwest Pacific Area.

Lt. Col. W. W. Welsh, executive officer of the Training Center under General Weaver, will continue as executive officer for Colonel Sneed. Simultaneously, it was announced that Maj. Clinton W. Davies, commandant of the Advanced Flying School, Maxwell Field, has been assigned to duty as the commanding officer of Maxwell Field, succeeding Colonel Sneed.

Still another officer change is the assignment of Lt. Col. Luther S. Smith, director of training for the Southeast Training Center, to duty in the office of the Chief of the Air Corps.

The new advanced flying school at Valdosta, Ga., will be named "Moody Field" in honor of the late Maj. George P. Moody, who was killed in an aircraft accident early in 1941, and who was active in setting up many of the new fields in the Southeast Air Corps Training Center.

Field Artillery—What may well be a unique Army command is that which has placed two members of the same family in command of the two major units which comprise the Ft. Bragg, N. C., Artillery Area. Newly arrived at Ft. Bragg is Col. William C. Crane, FA, who assumes command of the Provisional Field Artillery Brigade, and who joins his second cousin, Brig. Gen. John A. Crane, FA, commanding general of the 13th Field Artillery Brigade. Colonel Crane, formerly chief of staff of the First Army Corps, Columbia, S. C., succeeds Col. Arthur R. Harris, who has been ordered to First Army Headquarters, Governors Island, N. Y.

The arrival of Colonel Crane at Ft. Bragg, where he joins General Crane, recalls the confusion which resulted when the two Field Artillery officer cousins were both stationed in Washington. General Crane then held the rank of colonel; Colonel Crane the rank of lieutenant colonel. Hence both were usually addressed as "Colonel Crane." Since both had been military attaches abroad, they moved in diplomatic circles, and for one to receive the other's invitations or mail was not an uncommon occurrence.

The War Department disclosed late last week that a 240 mm. howitzer will be moved overland in the near future from South Milwaukee, Wis., to the Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., where it will undergo tests. The War Department announcement explained that the huge gun will be moved under strict military guard.

Marine Corps—The aggregate strength of the Marine Corps reached an all-time high on 31 Dec., when a total of 77,729 officers and men were listed on the rolls. This figure exceeds the previous high of 75,101 registered on 11 Dec. 1918, and more than quadruples the figure of 18,147 recorded on 30 April 1917, 24 days after the United States entered World War I.

"The flag we raised at Cavite will fly again. We put it up once. We'll do it again." These were the terse, emphatic comments made late last week by Brig. Gen. Dion Williams, USMC-Ret., who as a first lieutenant in command of a detachment of Marines from the USS Baltimore, hoisted the first American flag over the Philippines on 3 May 1898. Fleet Marine Officer of the entire fleet in the Navy's cruise around the world from 1907 to 1909, General Williams commanded the Tenth Marines during the World War, governed the northern district of Santo Domingo from 1919 to 1921, and has held other Marine Corps posts of equal and greater importance.

More like a member of LaSalle's expeditionary trip down the Mississippi than like a Marine Corps Recruiting Officer will be Capt. Robert L. Moulton, USMCR, when he soon begins a canoe recruiting trip in the bayou districts of Southern Louisiana. Equipped with a "pirogue" or dugout canoe, and a knowledge of bayou Spanish and French, Captain Moulton will seek hunters and fishermen, accustomed to the rigors of life in the open, for service in the Marine Corps. Col. Frank Halford, USMC-Ret., director of the Division of Recruiting, Marine Corps Headquarters this week expressed the belief that men enlisted by Captain Moulton during his unique trip would prove to be excellent Marines.

Believing that his industrial talents will serve the nation best by his direct participation in military activities, the Marine Corps has ordered to active duty Lt. Robert L. Skidmore, USMC-Ret., export manager for the Marmon-Herrington Co., Inc., Indianapolis, Ind., manufacturers of All-Wheel-Drive Trucks, high speed track-laying tractors, combat tanks and specialized military vehicles. Lieutenant Skidmore, a graduate of the Naval Academy, is a recipient of the Victory Medal, the Nicaraguan Expeditionary Medal, the China Expeditionary Medal, and the Nicaraguan Medal of Merit with Star. He was also recommended for the Navy Cross for conspicuous service.

1st Lt. Donald K. Yost, USMC, whose usual residence is shown on service records as Wahiawa, Oahu, T. H., has been temporarily promoted to captain, the Navy Department announced this week.

Chaplains—Honored by his state which made him a general officer in the Army, and nominated by his President for a second term as Chief of Chaplains, Ch. William R. Arnold has received still another high honor. The Bishop of Ft. Wayne Diocese, Ft. Wayne, Ind., has informed Chaplain Arnold that the Roman Catholic Church has conferred an ecclesiastical honor upon him. Chaplain Arnold, who has held the ecclesiastical honor, "Papal Chamberlain" carrying the title, "Very Reverend Monsignor," is now a "Domestic Prelate," with the title "Right Reverend Monsignor."

Officials in the Office of the Chief of Chaplains, in answer to a query, pointed out this week that since the Japanese attack at Pearl Harbor an unprecedented number of requests have come in from clergymen throughout the nation seeking information on what they may do to aid the Army through their services as chaplains. It was pointed out that an average day has seen anywhere from 60 to 100 letters arriving at the Office of the Chief of Chaplains, all expressing requests for information on Army service.

Daily devotion periods are now being conducted in the Office of the Chief of Chaplains for personnel by chaplains attached to that office. The short devotions are held each morning at 8:30.

Chemical Warfare Service—"Under conditions as they exist at present or as are probable within any reasonable time, I do not expect that gas will be used by enemies anywhere in the Continental United States," Maj. Gen. William N. Porter, Chief of the Chemical Warfare Service, said this week in a "Spirt of '42" broadcast over the facilities of the Columbia Broadcasting Co. General Porter pointed out that, "should enemy airplanes, by some difficult and devious method, be flown over our coasts, it is to be expected that, since their loads are necessarily limited, high explosive bombs will be the weapons they will carry."

General Porter told his radio audience, however, that "the Office of Civilian Defense is in the process of providing gas masks for those citizens who live within raiding distance of our coasts."

Included in the list of 575 lieutenant colonels temporarily promoted to colonel are four officers now serving in the Office of the Chief of the Chemical Warfare Service. Newly promoted to colonel are Charles E. Loucks, executive officer, Geoffrey Marshall, chief of the Personnel Division, Maurice E. Baker, chief of the Technical Service, and George J. B. Fisher, chief of the Civil Defense Division.

Walt Disney, screen cartoonist and renowned creator of Mickey Mouse, conferred this week in Washington with General Porter and other Chemical Warfare Service officers concerning gas mask designs for young children. As a result of these conferences, it is believed a Mickey Mouse gas mask will be put into production, which it is hoped will remove much of the terror a small child often exhibits when a gas mask is placed over his face.

Capt. Embree F. Hockenbeamer, CWS, has been ordered to duty in the Office of the Chief of the Chemical Warfare Service from his present station at the Air Corps Advanced Flying School, Stockton, Calif.

Medical Department—A new class of 578 officers and enlisted men of the Medical Department this week began courses of instruction at the Medical Field Service School, Carlisle Barracks, Pa. The 347 officers will be instructed in field duties

medical officers, while the 231 enlisted men form the Third Officer Candidate Class at the Medical Department school, and upon graduation will receive commissions as second lieutenants in the Medical Administrative Corps.

Before beginning their instruction courses, the men were addressed by Brig. Gen. Addison D. Davis, Assistant Surgeon General and commandant of the school, and Lt. Col. Albert S. Dabney, new Assistant Commandant. Colonel Dabney succeeds Lt. Col. George W. Rice, who was transferred to an undisclosed point.

The War Department explains in Circular No. 261 that "the commanding officer of a hospital will be responsible that no portion of the hospital buildings is occupied as quarters or used for maintaining a mess, except for patients and for personnel of the Medical Department (including civilian employees) on duty thereat, and Red Cross staff workers on duty in the social service and recreation building when the latter is under the administrative control of the commanding officer of the hospital."

Brig. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Director of Selective Service, this week advised all local boards through their State Headquarters that third and fourth-year students in acceptable medical schools and first-year internes may obtain reserve commissions in the Army or Navy and then will be permitted to complete their medical training, including one year of interneship, before being ordered to active duty. General Hershey emphasized that all who are eligible for a commission and do not apply may be considered for classification in Class 1-A, if they are not deferred for other reasons and are found physically qualified for general military service.

Thus it is plainly indicated that senior medical students and internes must either signify their desire to become officers in the Medical Reserve Corps or face induction through regular channels. This announcement from General Hershey is explicable in terms of repeated announcements by officials of the Army Medical Department that there is a deficiency of approximately 1300 Medical Reserve Officers.

Signal Corps—A section on awards and contracts has been set up in the Legal Division of the Materiel Branch of the Office of Chief Signal Officer, the main function of which is the reviewing of all awards submitted to it and passing on their conformity to law and Army regulations. A section on patents and inventions also is now functioning in the Legal Division. The purpose of this new unit is to examine inventions submitted to the Signal Corps and render opinions on their patentability.

Maj. Gen. Dawson Olmstead, Chief Signal Officer, in a unique speech, delivered by telephone from the Office of the Chief Signal Officer, War Department, and broadcast by loudspeaker to workers in the Radio Division, Bendix Aviation Corporation, Towson, Md., on New Year's Day, declared "It is of the utmost importance that the civilian worker should definitely take his place in the general preparations of our country to meet the tragic circumstances of these fateful days, and we of the Signal Corps rely upon you individually as civilian soldiers to exercise the utmost diligence and vigilance in your important work. The terrific speed at which modern warfare operates requires almost split second coordination of all military units, and it is the responsibility of the Signal Corps, the nerve center of the Army, to maintain the highest efficiency in all details of communication."

Brig. Gen. William S. Rumbough has succeeded Brig. Gen. Otto F. Lange as commanding general of all Signal Corps troops at Camp Crowder, Neosho, Mo.

Coast and Geodetic Survey Officers to Navy—Rear Adm. L. O. Colbert, Director of the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, announces the transfer of five commissioned officers of that organization to the Navy Department for special duty in compliance with an Executive Order signed by President Roosevelt on 2 Jan. These officers are Lt. George L. Anderson, Lt. Ralph L. Pfau, Lt. (jg) Ira T. Saunders, Lt. (jg) Franklin R. Gossett, and Lt. (jg) John C. Tribble, jr.

While serving under their commissions in the Coast and Geodetic Survey these officers will, during the emergency, constitute a part of the naval forces of the United States subject to the direct orders, laws, and regulations of the Navy Department. The order directs their return to the Survey "when the present national emergency ceases to exist."

In ordering the transfer President Roosevelt acted under the authority of a law passed by Congress on 22 May 1917, providing for the temporary increase of personnel in the naval establishment.

Admiral Colbert further stated that while the activities of the Coast and Geodetic Survey are fully geared to the war effort, other transfers of specially qualified personnel to the armed forces are under consideration.

Ordnance Department—Because great increases in production are liable to be accompanied by a corresponding increase in the amount of defective material, and because increased production makes it more necessary to detect such defects promptly, all officers and men are being warned to be on the alert for apparent defects in design as well as defects in manufacture and material of ordnance materiel. These defects should be reported to the unit ordnance officer who, after proper investigation, should in turn report to the field army ordnance officer.

Brig. Gen. Earl McFarland, assistant to the Chief of Ordnance, has been named chairman of an Ordnance Department Safety Board which is charged with the prevention of accidents in all Ordnance Department facilities and investigation of such accidents as occur. Included in the category of accidents are acts of sabotage, of which so far ordnance plants have been remarkably free.

The Safety Board, composed of chiefs of the various divisions of the Ordnance Department, including Lt. Col. A. B. Johnson, chief of the plant security division, is, according to instructions issued to it, "to consider and make recommendations to the Chief of Ordnance in such matters pertaining to safety in establishments under Ordnance Department jurisdiction as may be referred to it, and shall be responsible for the investigation of accidents in these establishments. The board will function through appropriate subcommittees."

Separate Air Force—In one of the first speeches made in the Senate during the session which began this week, Senator McCarran, of Nev., urged prompt consideration of his bill, S. 1635, which would create a separate air force. Mr. McCarran called attention to the attack on his bill by Rear Adm. Harry E. Yarnell, USN-Ret., and said Admiral Yarnell "undertook to show, first, that the British RAF has failed; and second, that this failure is due to the fact that the RAF operates as a unit independent of the other armed forces."

Arguments that Norway and Crete were lost through the RAF overlooked the fact that both were invaded by "an independent air force, under a separate command, in the hands of Germany," Senator McCarran said. "When Germany invaded the island of Crete there were only 10 serviceable British planes on the island. However, the RAF cannot be held to account for a shortage of planes, because the British Navy, which was in command at that point, believed it had sufficient air power until after the attack began."

Attacking charges that under his bill, land and naval forces would be deprived of air support, Mr. McCarran pointed out that the measure provides for detachment of air force units to operate under Army or Navy commanders, or assignment of land or naval units to operate under an air commander, whichever the situation demands.

"The always gracious and cooperative chairman of the Committee on Military Affairs, the Senator from North Carolina, Mr. Reynolds, has assured me that his committee will hold hearings on my bill in the near future, and that this matter will be thoroughly gone into," Senator McCarran said.

Quartermaster Corps—With issuance of orders to foreign service for Col. Russell A. Osmun, QMC, chief of the public relations, intelligence and plant protection branches, OQMG, the duties he has held since April, 1940, have been assigned to two other officers. Lt. Col. Clifford A. Smith, QMC, will head the intelligence and plant protection branches and 2nd Lt. John S. Hayes, QMC, will direct the public relations branch.

Colonel Osmun is a graduate of the Naval Academy, has served in the Navy, the Coast Artillery Corps and the Field Artillery. Transferring to the Quartermaster Corps in 1920, he was graduated from the Army War College, the Army Industrial College, the Command and General Staff School and the Ecole de l'Intendence, France. Colonel Smith prior to his assignment to the new posts was in the construction division, OQMG. Lieutenant Hayes was ordered to active duty in April, 1941, and has served in the public relations section since that time.

The Quartermaster Corps now has an additional deputy Quartermaster General, Brig. Gen. James L. Frink, who served as 4th Corps Area Quartermaster at the time the last maneuvers were being held in the Southern States. Already assisting Quartermaster General Gregory as a deputy quartermaster general is Brig. Gen. Frank F. Scowden.

Lt. Col. Harry M. Andrews, assistant chief of the military personnel and training division, OQMG, has just been retired from active military service for physical disability. Colonel Andrews entered the Army as a National Guard private in 1916, became a second lieutenant in 1917, and in 1920 was commissioned a first lieutenant in the Regular Army. Ordered to the division which Colonel Andrews has left was Maj. Roy C. Moore, who has been in the field service branch of the general service division. Major Moore will be chief of the reserve branch of the personnel division.

Substantial changes, eliminating most of the aluminum and other scarce metals, have been made in the soldiers' mess equipment, following tests by the Quartermaster Corps. Although the canteen retains its present aluminum body, its aluminum cap has been replaced by a plastic cap and the chain of nickeled silver has been replaced by one of tinned steel. Stainless and tinned steels replace the aluminum in the meat can and cup. The fork and spoon, previously made from nickeled silver, will be made from hot tinned steel. The knife now has a plastic handle in place of cast aluminum.

Following recent experimental tests conducted at the Holabird Quartermaster Depot, Baltimore, Md., which indicated that thousands of Army trucks and passenger tires could be successfully reconditioned for additional use, the Quartermaster Corps will open a school for training enlisted men in recapping, retreading and repairing tires at an Akron, Ohio, tire and rubber company plant this month.

While stress will be laid on retreading and recapping tires at the new Quartermaster School, the student soldiers will also study modern methods of repairing tires with emphasis on rim bruises. Other courses will instruct the Army personnel in outside repair work on tires, nail holes, small cuts, sidewall injuries, and large cuts in the tread.

Coast Artillery—To perpetuate the names of two general officers, the War Department has designated Coast Artillery gun batteries at Puerto Rico and Ft. Green, R. I., as Battery Reed and Battery Hamilton, respectively, in honor of Brig. Gen. Henry A. Reed, and Brig. Gen. Alston Hamilton.

Bureau of Ships—Under the direction of Capt. A. Loring Swasey, USNR-Ret., in charge of the Patrol Craft Section, Bureau of Ships, the Navy's "Cinderella" fleet, composed of submarine chasers or PC boats, will soon be greatly augmented, as part of the concentrated effort against submarine warfare being waged by the enemy.

While many of these vessels, which gained notice during the last war as a result of their many successful attacks against enemy submarines, are already under contract and in various stages of construction, the Navy revealed that contracts for an undisclosed number of additional craft of this type are to be let shortly. The vessels include both 170-foot and 110-foot types.

Rear Adm. George H. Rock, (CC), USN-Ret., and Rear Adm. Harry E. Yarnell, USN-Ret., this week completed their final inspection tours prior to announcing the first awards to prize winning shipyards working on Navy and Maritime Commission contracts. The awards will be based on construction progress, quality of work, improvement, and spirit displayed.

This represents the fourth of a series of inspection trips made by Admiral Rock and Admiral Yarnell, during which they visited almost all of the 147 shipyards eligible to receive the prizes. The prize winning shipyards will be rewarded with a specially designed Bureau of Ships pennant and insignia for each workman.

Bureau of Navigation—In his first public message since assuming duty as Chief of the Bureau of Navigation, Rear Adm. Randall Jacobs, USN, told a National Broadcasting Co. radio audience this week that, "the Navy needs at least 5,000 young men who have experience in amateur or commercial radio, or with experience as radio service men." He said that qualified men would upon enlistment receive the rating of radioman second class, in Class V6 of the Naval Reserve, with the pay of $72.00 per month, with an additional allowance of $34.50 per month for married men with dependents. Admiral Jacobs explained that "advancement in rating to radioman first class, or chief radioman is possible."

Emphasizing the importance of the Navy's radio training program, Admiral Jacobs said, "The equipment for which maintenance instruction will be given is used in connection with the aircraft locator equipment, one of the newest developments in the scientific field of radio engineering." He pointed out that "this field has fascinating possibilities for those who are technically inclined or interested in radio and its application to national defense."

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J. F. Simmons, GSC
G. K. Heiss, OD
R. G. Amlong, QMC
R. K. Haskell, OD
R. A. Snavely, AC
R. R. Street, Inf.
J. M. Whistler, FA
R. B. Williams, AC
G. H. Palmer, SC
K. F. Hertford, CE
S. L. Conner, OD
Miles Reber, CE
C. W. Stewart, jr., GSC
J. R. Noyes, CE
L. Rosenberg, CE
W. R. Winslow, CE
W. N. Leaf, CE
D. M. Dunne, CE
F. McA. Albrecht, CE
T. M. Osborne, CE
R. F. Hallock, FA
S. A. Beckley, FA
H. D. Kehm, FA
J. W. Warren, AC
E. B. Gjelsteen, FA
W. E. Carraway, GSC
John M. Posek, Inf.
H. B. Enderton, FA
J. B. Horton, FA
C. B. Magruder, GSC
W. R. Pierce, FA
D. H. Galloway, GSC
H. W. Serig, SC
P. W. Timberlake, AC

Following Capts., MC, to Majs., 24 Dec.:

Max Naimark
Vernon J. Erkenbeck
Arthur H. Thompson
Wilson T. Smith
Clarendon B. Woods
Joe Alexander Bain
Cecil S. Mollohan
Francis W. Hall
Joseph S. Cirlot
Richard H. Eckhardt
John M. Caldwell, jr.
Charles P. Ward
Elmer A. Lodmell
Lester P. Veigel
George L. Beatty
Harold I. Amory
John A. Egan
George G. Guiteras
Edgar L. Olson
Charles E. Spellman
Gordon G. Bulla
James B. Stapleton
Floyd L. Wergeland
Robert S. Brua
James W. Howard
James S. Taylor
Jenner G. Jones
Eaton W. Bennett
Tom F. Whayne
Burt He'd
Joseph G. Cocke,
Alfonso M. Libasci
Ralph T. Stevenson
Frank O. Alexander
John B. Grow
Daniel J. Waligora
Byron L. Steger
Louie R. Braswell
John E. Granade
Robert E. Blount
Paul H. Jenkins
Ray E. Currie
Heinz Kuraner
Emmett L. Kehoe
Clarence H. White
R. A. Edmonston
Knox Dunlap
S. D. Berardinelli
William J. Power
Lawrence C. Ball
John K. Cullen
Howard W. Doan
William D. Willis
Robert W. Boal
Lewis W. Kirkman
Dean Schamber
Eugene R. Chapman
Fred W. Seymour
Lester O. Crago
Joseph A. Baird
Allan A. Craig
James E. Graham
Jay F. Gamel
Aubrey L. Jennings
William T. Sichi
James G. Moore
Robert LaS. Callison
William D. Graham
William W. Roe, jr.
William J. L. Porcher
Albert A. Biederman
Thomas W. Mattingly
William F. Patient
W. H. L. Westbrook, jr.
Alfred A. Grebe
Joseph F. Peters
Donald D. Flickinger
Albert M. Richmond
Edward M. DeYoung
Donald M. Ward
Angvald Vickoren
William E. Barry
Emmert C. Lentz
James L. Snyder
Thair C. Rich
Frank H. Lane
Byron G. McKibben
John DeW. Morley
Frederic E. Cressman
Robert T. Gants
George F. Peer
Harold E. Harrison
Marshall N. Jensen
Edw. R. Wernitznig
L. C. Shellenberger
Albert W. Shiflet
Kenneth R. Nelson
Gottlieb L. Orth
Edward A. Cleve
D. B. Kendrick, jr.
George W. McCoy, jr.
James C. Van Valin
William F. Conway
Lucius G. Thomas
Victor R. Hirschmann
John W. O'Donnell
Fred H. Mowrey
Hubert T. Marshall
Robert D. Smith
William B. Stryker
William L. Spaulding
Elmer D. Gay
Erling S. Fugelso
Paul A. Paden
John T. B. Strode
Paul H. Leach
Richard L. Bohannon
Joe Harrell
William Calaway

Following Majs., to Lt. Cols., 24 Dec.:

Joseph Smith, AC
K. S. Sweany, FA
Joseph H. Hicks, AC
Guy H. Stubbs, CAC
Ralph C. Bing, Inf.
C. J. Harrold, QMC
Earl S. Gruver, OD
W. C. Stout, FA
E. L. Harrison, Cav.
B. A. Tormey, GSC
J. I. Greene, Inf.
V. R. Smith, F. A.
J. A. Celin, GSC
Cecil W. Nist, Inf.
Robert C. Oliver, AC
J. E. B. McInerney, OD
F. A. Garrecht, jr., FA
Frank Dorn, FA
C. E. Woodruff, jr., Inf.
Donald McLean, CAC
Stuart L. Cowles, FA
John M. Welkert, AC
George P. Howell, Inf.
W. A. Robinson, Inf.
D. S. Ellerthrope, CAC
G. C. Mergens, QMC
Horton V. White, Inf.
J. E. Bowen, jr., Inf.
A. C. Cunkle, Inf.
Francis T. Dodd, FA
C. C. Cavender, AGD
George S. Smith, GSC
W. C. Lucas, FA
W. G. Johnson, Inf.
Paul K. Porch, Inf.
John G. Salsman, AC
T. G. Holland, Inf.
Paul C. Serff, Inf.
L. L. Skinner, QMC
E. F. Adams, CAC
T. S. Timberman, Inf.
R. H. Krueger, CAC
Louis J. Storck, Inf.
D. C. Tredennick, CAC
D. S. Babcock, FA
J. J. Carnes, Inf.
J. W. Boone, GSC
H. C. Johnson, Inf.
J. M. Fitzmaurice, AC
C. C. Higgins, Inf.
G. C. Stewart, GSC
L. P. Leone, Inf.
R. L. Dulaney, Inf.
R. McK. Smith, OD
Clyde K. Rich, AC
David Larr, GSC
L. C. Craige, AC
Philip R. Dwyer, Inf.
Allen L. Keyes, FA
D. M. Gunn, JAGD
C. M. Seebach, Inf.
H. McK. Roper, FA
J. H. Workman, FA
C. W. Gettys, CAC
H. J. P. Harding, Inf.
W. S. Biddle, Cav.
G. F. Heaney, jr., CAC
John H. Evans, Inf.
W. R. Grove, jr., FA
G. L. Dewey, Inf.
J. F. Torrence, jr., Inf.
C. W. Lawrence, AC
M. Buckley, jr., FA
Benjamin Stern, SC
W. E. Whitson, AC
Rex E. Chandler, FA
R. J. Minty, AC
S. Edwards, FA
J. R. Burnett, CAC
R. Stone, jr., AGD
John J. Binns, FA
Walter Burnside, Cav.
J. F. J. Early, AC
H. J. Vandersluis, CAC
U. J. L. Peoples, jr., OD
R. B. Evans, Cav.
A. R. Crawford, AC
R. F. McEldowney, FA
T. M. Lowe, AC
Kevin O'Shea, GSC
C. D. Silverthorne, GSC
L. W. Haskell, FA
D. M. Schlatter, AC
C. T. Myers, AC
E. W. Ridings, GSC
C. W. Cowles, FA
K. E. Webber, FD
A. D. Reid, Inf.
C. V. Bromley, jr., GSC
J. W. Harmony, Inf.
Philip H. Enslow, FA
E. B. Thompson, CAC
E. D. Post, Inf.
W. H. Hardy, AC
H. S. Vandenberg, AC
L. V. Castner, Inf.
Hal C. Granberry, Inf.
Ralph M. Neal, Cav.
S. W. Towle, jr., NGB
E. B. Howard, GSC
John P. Evans, Inf.
W. H. Schaffer, QMC
A. D. Raymond, jr., Inf.
W. C. White, AC
G. C. Jamison, AC
J. R. Lindsay, jr., FA
Roy M. Foster, QMC
W. L. Barker, CAC
C. B. McDaniel, AC
R. V. Perry, QMC
T. Davison Drake, Inf.
H. S. Jordan, FD
H. K. Baisley, AC
J. K. Nissley, AC
W. R. Blakely, Inf.
Carl E. Anderson, FD
W. D. Paschall, FA
F. M. Thompson, Inf.
V. H. Connor, FA
A. B. Nicholson, CAC
S. E. Rall, Inf.
Don E. Carleton, Cav.
P. G. Kendall, QMC
R. W. Russell, CAC
A. Y. Smith, AC
W. G. Cronk, Inf.
R. T. Willson, Cav.
C. C. Blakeney, GSC
W. F. Millice, FA
E. H. Burger, AGD
J. F. McGraw, Inf.
R. S. Marr, FA
L. J. Greeley, CWS
W. F. Dean, GSC
Ben E. Cordell, CAC
G. P. Privett, FA
W. L. McPherson, CAC
William V. Gray, Inf.
D. P. Norman, Inf.
J. M. England, CAC
W. B. Forse, Inf.
J. W. Homewood, Inf.
E. K. Wright, Inf.
R. H. Torovsky, QMC
C. G. Pearcy, AC
Ernest T. Owen, FA
A. C. Ramsey, QMC
W. H. Hastings, CE
E. L. Cummings, OD
E. E. Partridge, AC
F. S. Blinn, CE
B. S. Mesick, OD
R. L. Dean, CE
M. E. Sorley, CE
P. R. Garges, CE
G. D. Crosby, FA
A. G. Trudeau, CE
John H. Riepe, Cav.
E. C. Itschner, CE
Howard Ker, CE
C. D. Palmer, FA
H. D. Vogel, CE
F. S. Tandy, CE
E. J. Peterson, CE
G. E. Textor, CE
V. C. Stevens, CAC
O. McCormick, Inf.
W. Blanchard, Cav.
T. D. V. Roberts, GSC
C. F. Robinson, GSC
F. A. Henney, CE
David J. Ellinger, AC
L. L. Bingham, CE
F. A. Mitchell, CAC
S. V. Krauthoff, FA
J. I. Hincke, CAC
R. T. Beurket, CWS
H. B. Roberts, Inf.
C. G. Meehan, Cav.
V. A. Conrad, SC
R. B. Pape, CAC
J. F. Williams, FA
H. J. Theis, Cav.
A. T. Leonard, FA
Clyde Massey, QFC
B. W. Bidwell, Inf.
R. W. Berry, GSC
Harry V. Wyk, GSC
G. B. McConnell, FA
W. H. Arnold, GSC
R. H. Coombs, OD
W. A. Samouce, FA
F. E. Kidwell, SC
E. Barber Ely, GSC
G. Schmidt, CAC
L. E. Simon, OD
C. L. Lanham, Inf.
R. W. Stephens, Inf.
R. L. Baughman, Inf.
E. H. Harrison, OD
C. J. King, jr., SC
L. R. Dewey, Cav.
R. I. Glasgow, GSC
Jesse B. Wells, Cav.
Cecil E. Henry, AC
G. A. Bicher, SC
J. T. Loome, FA
W. L. Richardson, GSC
A. A. Frierson, Cav.
Craig Alderman, Inf.
L. S. Fletcher, OD
C. R. Landon, AGD
T. E. Binford, FA
E. A. Merkle, CAC
C. W. A. Raguse, Cav.
G. A. Hadsell, Inf.
Earl Mattice, Inf.
H. T. Benz, CAC
H. S. Jernigan, Cav.
J. S. Willis, SC
C. E. Rothgeb, CAC
M. B. Stokes, jr., GSC
F. M. Day, FA
W. H. Schaeffer, Inf.
G. B. Rogers, Cav.
B. F. Luebbermann, FA
P. W. Shunk, CAC
J. F. Howell, jr., CAC
R. L. Mable, FA
E. H. France, QMC
W. J. Everly, FA
G. D. Pence, GSC
M. B. Crandall, Cav.
W. J. Reardon, Cav.
C. L. Dasher, jr., FA
S. J. Goodman, CAC
G. G. Gibbs, CAC
H. L. Boatner, GSC
C. B. Hutchinson, Cav.
C. K. Darling, Cav.
J. L. Loutzenheiser, AC
Z. W. Moores, Cav.
P. W. Brown, GSC
J. E. Moore, GSC
Silas W. Hosea, Inf.
S. S. Koszewski, FA
John C. Smith, CAC
P. C. Hains, 3d, Cav.
R. E. Nugent, AC
W. A. Buck, GSC
J. P. Kirkendall, AC
V. F. Burger, FA
C. D. Daniel, FA
A. D. Miller, CAC
C. C. Sibley, Inf.
J. E. McGraw, CAC
R. R. Selway, jr., AC
J. G. Moore, AC
J. G. Anding, GSC
D. D. Martin, CAC
J. R. Burrill, FA
Leslie A. Skinner, OD
J. A. McComsey, CAC
H. E. Kessinger, GSC
F. E. Gillette, Inf.
A. K. Stebbins, jr., GSC
W. M. Ives, jr., Inf.
R. G. Prather, Inf.
D. B. Smith, Inf.
R. E. Cullen, AGD
M. G. Wallington, SC
E. Parmly, FA
L. S. Smith, AC
S. G. Conley, GSC
S. W. Ackerman, Inf.
L. S. Kirkpatrick, CAC
C. H. Coates, Inf.
O. L. Nelson, jr., Inf.
W. H. Kendall, CAC
R. W. Harper, AC
A. J. Regnier, FD
W. K. Liebel, GSC
O. M. Barton, FA
B. Furuholmen, FA
C. P. Summerall, jr., FA
T. G. McCulloch, FD
L. H. Rodieck, GSC
J. H. Stadler, jr., Cav.
L. C. Barkes, Inf.
K. C. Strother, Inf.
G. A. Millener, Inf.
G. H. Steel, AC
R. A. Baker, GSC
F. S. Kirkpatrick, FA
G. W. Vaughn, QMC
Paul Cooper, Inf
L. K. Ladue, GSC
R. Pulsifer, AGD

TRANSFERS

Capt. Howard K. Vail, Inf., to Cav., 3 Jan.

WARRANT OFFICERS

Chief WO George S. Whitman, retired, 30 April 1942, 42 yrs. of service, rank of Capt.

Following WO (jg) temp. apptd., to Chief WO, 28 Dec.: George I. Kealey, Ray C. Neuenford.

Following WO (jg) temp. appt., to Chief WO, 28 Dec.: Wilbur A. Sweeten. Thomas J. Brooks, Irvin J. Katz, Alex B. Wilson, Walter R. Anderson, Kent L. Gillenwater, Jesse A. Sullivan, William H. Biggerstaff, Alva Davidson, Michael J. O'Brien.

WO (jg) Vernon Wildman, temp. apptd., Chief WO, 30 Dec.

Following WO (jg) temp. apptd., Chief WO's, 30 Dec.: Harold Byrom, Walter W. Wiedrick, Charles L. McCandless.

Following WO (jg) temp. apptd., WO's, 31 Dec.: Laurence Lancaster, Albert F. Carleno, Arthur A. Fahrner, Kurt Schnellenbach, Ernest C. Schrader.

Following WO (jg) temp. apptd., Chief WO's, 2 Jan.: John J. Farley, Roy Mosher, Frank W. McMillan.

Following WO (jg) temp. apptd., Chief WO's, 29 Dec.: Paul K. Mellichamp, Frank Thomas, Hadley Quaintance, Edward S. Jenne, George Leonard, William G. Childress.

WO (jg) Charles G. Benthein, temp. apptd., Chief WO, 1 Jan.

WO (jg) Herman A. Schwartz, from Westover Fld., Mass., to Army Finance Sch., and Ren. Tr. Cen., Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

WO (jg) Roderick A. Meredith, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 1 Feb., to GHQ, Army War College, Wash., D. C.

WO (jg) John A. Hillard, retired, 30 April, rank of 1st Lt.

WO (jg) Francis Le Doux, from Mitchel Fld., N. Y., to Air Service Comd., Wright Fld., Ohio.

Following enlisted men, appt'd WO (jg) band leaders, 1 Jan.: S. Sgt. Emerson Stephens, to Air Force Band, Wichita Falls, Tex.; Sgt. Edward T. Sheets, to Air Force Band, Stockton, Calif.; Sgt. Dominique Gaudette, to Air Force Band, Kelly Fld., Tex.; Sgt. Harry A. Halloway, Air Force Band, Oklahoma City, Okla.; S. Sgt. George P. Attridge, to Air Force Band, Westover Fld., Mass.; Sgt. Peter L. Crawford, to 349th Field Artillery, Ft. Sill, Okla.; Sgt. Crawford A. Coy, to Air Force Band, McChord Fld., Wash.; Sgt. Theo R. Rittenmar, to 41st Infantry (Armored), Ft. Benning, Ga.; Sgt. Lester H. Myers, to Air Force Band, Scott Fld., Ill.; Sgt. Wessel Poenie, to Air Force Band, Bowman Fld., Ky.; Sgt. Russell J. Wenger, to Air Force Band, Albuquerque, N. Mex.; Sgt. Clyde C. Owens, Air Force Band, Portland, Ore.; S. Sgt. William U. Turton, Air Force Band, Charlotte, N. C.; Sgt. Robert L. Horton, to Air Force Band, Tucson, Ariz.; T. Sgt. Henry Gawers, Air Force Band, Pendleton, Ore.; T. Sgt. Juan Lamurey, to 32d Armored Rgt., Camp Polk, La.; T. Sgt. Richard E. Velasco, to 51st Inf. (Armored), Pine Camp, N. Y.; T. Sgt. Garreth Fabric, to Air Force Band, Fresno, Calif.; S. Sgt. Bert D. Fetzer, to Air Force Band, Boise, Idaho.

Following enlisted men temp. appt'd to WO (jg), 27 Dec.: M. Sgt. Robert A. Jackson, M. Sgt. James W. Hulburt, M. Sgt. Holley L. Wilkinson, T. Sgt. John M. Curry, T. Sgt. Albert L. Ramsey, T. Sgt. William McK. Summers, Sgt. Walter E. Eickenhorst, Sgt. Lacey O. Jenkins.

Following enlisted men temp. appt'd to WO (jg), 28 Dec.: M. Sgt. Henry C. Owen, M. Sgt. Willis M. Burgess, M. Sgt. Robert M. Flynn, M. Sgt. Harold J. Iseke, M. Sgt. John H. Manes, M. Sgt. Paul K. Mellicham, M. Sgt. Frank Thomas, M. Sgt. James F. Pa, M. Sgt. Louis J. Arnau, M. Sgt. Victor A. Ellis, M. Sgt. Hadley Quaintance, M. Sgt. Ralph T. Schuck, M. Sgt. Roger Thompson, M. Sgt. Eugene R. Bialock, M. Sgt. Kenneth E. Brotherton, M. Sgt. Albert F. Carleno, M. Sgt. Clement J. Childress, M. Sgt. Ernest E. Deblois, M. Sgt. Arthur A. Fahrner, M. Sgt. Walter E. Kahler, M. Sgt. Harry Kahn, M. Sgt. Goffrey J. Lynch, M. Sgt. Joseph I. Moran, M. Sgt. Maurice Rosenthal, M. Sgt. Kurt Schnellenbach, M. Sgt. Ernest C. Schrader, M. Sgt. William N. Wood, M. Sgt. Herbert Batz, M. Sgt. Carl Bonnelycke, M. Sgt. Elbridge S. Chadwick, M. Sgt. Herbert Garrett, M. Sgt. Anton Nelson, M. Sgt. Lawrence L. Gentry, M. Sgt. Edward Stanley Jenne, M. Sgt. George Leonard, M. Sgt. Earl Miller, M. Sgt. William G. Childress, T. Sgt. Forrest B. Jones, T. Sgt. Earl R. Bradshaw, T. Sgt. Theodore J. Collett, T. Sgt. Edward G. Dechant, T. Sgt. James F. Doland, T. Sgt. Bertram J. McNelly, T. Sgt. John T. Lawlor, T. Sgt. Alfred H. Auger, T. Sgt. John E. Schmear, T. Sgt. Anthony Akromas, T. Sgt. William Jean Edwards, T. Sgt. Frank W. Trautman, 1st Sgt. Augustine M. Sullivan, 1st Sgt. Charles F. Webber, S. Sgt. Arthur G. Bouley, S. Sgt. Leonard Kimmick.

Following enlisted men temp. appt'd WO (jg), 29 Dec.: M. Sgt. Emmett Hazlett, M. Sgt. Harold Byrom, M. Sgt. Walter W. Wiedrick, M. Sgt. John W. Reuschlein, M. Sgt. Joseph A. Tubb, M. Sgt. Mezick T. Horn, M. Sgt. John A. Walder, M. Sgt. Clifford A. Besecker, M. Sgt. Charles L. McCandless, M. Sgt. Ellsworth C. Miller, M. Sgt. Harold Taylor, M. Sgt. Gilbert D. Zensen, M. Sgt. Martin H. Schall, T. Sgt. James A. Davis.

Aaron A. Isaac, appt'd, WO (jg), second mate, Army Mine Planter Service, 31 Dec.: to HD of San Francisco, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif.

Harry B. Quinn, reappt'd WO (jg), 1 Jan., to hq., 2nd Corps Area, Governors Island, N. Y.

Robert T. Barbour, temp. appt'd, WO (jg) second mate, Army Mine Planter Service, 5 Jan. to HD of Sandy Hook, Ft. Hancock, N. J.

ORDERS TO ENLISTED MEN

M. Sgt. Benjamin G. Patterson, USA-Ret., to active duty, 3 Jan., to HQ Co., Washington, D. C.

RETIREMENT OF ENLISTED MEN

Following enlisted men retired, 31 Dec.:

M. Sgt. John J. Maurer, DEML, physical disability.

M. Sgt. John Jens, CAS Unit No. 1332, physical disability.

T. Sgt. Russell C. Aldridge, Hq. and Hq. Co., 23d Engr. Bn.

S. Sgt. Eugene M. Zealy, QM det., Corps Area Service Unit No. 1967 sta. comp., rank of T. Sgt.

Sgt. John Lyons, Co. C, 10th Inf., 31 Dec.

Pvt. William H. Balton, QMC, physical disability, rank of Sgt.

T. Sgt. Thomas L. Kitchen, Co. K, 55th QM Rgt., physical disability.

T. Sgt. Frank M. Olszewski, QMC.

Sgt. Charles E. Lemmler, Btry. G, 13th CA.

Sgt. John McIntyre, AC, physical disability.

Sgt. Willie G. Plant, Antitank Co., 34th Inf., physical disability.

Pvt. 1cl. Spec. 1cl. George J. Drouin, DEML, physical disability.

T. Sgt. Horace E. Midkiff, Hq. and Hq. Co., 7th Inf., physical disability.

M. Sgt. William H. McGinnis, DEML, retirement revoked.

Following enlisted men retired, 31 Jan.:

Cpl. Oscar Carlson, Co. A, 518th MP Bn., physical disability.

Pvt. 1cl. Spec. 2nd cl. Clarence E. Wharton, 40th Ord. Co., physical disability.

S. Sgt. George W. Myers, DEML, physical disability.

ORDERS TO RESERVES

Col. Carroll O. Bickelhaupt, Sig., 1 Jan., to CSO, Wash., D. C

Following Lt. Col.'s, Med., 5 Jan., to 52d Evacuation Hospital, Ft. Custer, Mich.: Henry P. Brown, jr., George C. Duncan.

Following off., to sta. ind.: Lt. Col. Robert C. Robertson, Med., 15 Jan., to Letterman General Hosp., Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.; Lt. Col. Richard Penfield, CW, 19 Jan., to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; Maj. Harry R. Tremaine, FA, 8 Jan., to Western AC Procurement Dist., Santa Monica, Calif.; Maj. John V. Ellson, jr., Med., 8 Jan., to 52d Evacuation Hosp., Ft. Custer, Mich.; Maj. James V. Walsh, CA, 6 Jan., to Off., PMG, Wash., D. C.; Maj David Q. Ewing, Med., 8 Jan., to 52d Evacuation Hospital, Ft. Custer, Mich.; Maj. Joseph B. Vander Veer, Med., 8 Jan., to 52nd Evacuation Hospital, Ft. Custer, Mich.; 1st Lt. John S. Bolesta, Dent., 19 Jan., to Paine Fld., Everett, Wash.; 1st Lt. Philip L. Bradford, Inf., 19 Jan., to Wright Fld., O.; 1st Lt. Hans W. Forster, jr., Med., 1 Feb., to Westover Fld., Mass.; 1st Lt. Lawrence B. Reynolds, CA, 10 Jan., to Wright Fld., O.; 1st Lt. Edward L. Jones, QM, 19 Jan., to Gen. Depot, Shamokin, Pa.; 2nd Lt. Eddie R. Wagoner, Cav., 19 Jan., to Air Depot, Patterson Fld., Fairfield, O.; 1st Lt. Robert C. Kingsbury, FA, 19 Jan., to Arsenal Rock Island, Ill.; 2nd Lt. Harry S. Stern, jr., QM, 19 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. Theodore M. Gilmore, QM, 19 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; 2nd Lt. Francis L. Murphy, jr., QM, 19 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; 2nd Lt. Charles H. Stephenson, 19 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; 2nd Lt. Frank F. Argust, QM, 19 Jan., Wyo.; 2nd Lt. Gail M. Inlow, QM, 19 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; 2nd Lt. Richard J. Maloney, QM, 19 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; 2nd Lt. Sam St. C. Blanc, QM, 19 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; 2nd Lt. Johnson Shipman, FA, 19 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Edward L. Miller, Inf., 19 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 1st Lt. Louis E. Beckman, jr., Inf., 19 Jan., to Qm. Depot, Chicago, Ill.; 2nd Lt. John E. Despaul, QM, 19 Jan., to Sch. for Bakers and Cooks, Qm. Depot, Chicago, Ill.; 1st Lt. Merwin S. Dickson, QM, 19 Jan., to Holabird Qm. Depot, Baltimore, Md.; 2nd Lt. Everett W. Eldridge, jr., Cav., 19 Jan., to Off. CO. Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Russell B. Freeman, QM, 19 Jan., to Gen. Depot, San Francisco, Calif.; 1st Lt. Leon L. Larason, FA, 19 Jan., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.; 1st Lt. Melvin P. Penn, Engr., 19 Jan., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.; 1st Lt. Guy M. Tate, jr., Engr., 19 Jan., to U. S. Engr. Off., Mobile, Ala.; 2nd Lt. Thomas B. Waite, jr., QM, 19 Jan., to Gen.

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Depot, San Francisco, Calif.; 2nd Lt. Vincent P. Owens, Inf., 19 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Herbert Yoshof, Inf., 19 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 1st Lt. Garrett S. Kieffer, Dent., 19 Jan., to Sunset Fld., Spokane, Wash.; 2nd Lt. Augustine D. Edwards, jr., Inf., 19 Jan., to Ord. Dist., Philadelphia, Pa.; 2nd Lt. Perry D. Lindholm, Air., 19 Jan., to Air Depot, Patterson Fld., Fairfield, O.; 1st Lt. Charles R. Chapman, Cav., 19 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Jacob J. Jaeger, Inf., 19 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Richard J. Berry, Inf., 19 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Joseph A. Miner, jr., FA, 19 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. William J. Wakefield, CA, 19 Jan., to Wright Fld., O.; 1st Lt. Rea A. Taylor, Ord., 19 Jan., to Off. CS, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Robert W. Maher, QM, 19 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. Pope H. Fuller, QM, 19 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. Richard E. Brannon, QM, 19 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. Richard B. Anderson, QM, 19 Jan., to Qm. Depot, Jeffersonville, Ind.; 2nd Lt. Howard M. Miles, jr., Inf., 19 Jan., to Off. QMG Wash., D.C.; 1st Lt. Donald C. Thompson, Inf., 6 Jan., to Off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Carl M. Peterson, Engr., 19 Jan., to Off. C. of AC, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Joseph A. Belmont, QM, 19 Jan., to Qm. Depot, Philadelphia, Pa.; 2nd Lt. Kerrwin Hagerty, QM, 19 Jan., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.; 1st Lt. Arthur H. Abplanalp, Ch-AUS, 19 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. Walter S. Bralley, jr., CA, 19 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. William E. Wilhelm, FA, 19 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Andrew T. Zoltak, Engr., 19 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

Following off., to sta. ind.: Lt. Col. William C. Henry, Sig., 9 Jan., to Off., CSO, Ellevue, O.; Lt. Col. Leslie H. Ross, 20 Jan., to Air Service Comd., Wright Fld., O.; Lt. Col. Daniel N. Casey, QM, 20 Jan., to 3rd Air Force, Drew Fld., Fla.; Maj. Herbert E. Pritschel, CW, 20 Jan., to Arsenal, Pine Bluff, Ark.; Maj. James A. Wilson, Engr., 20 Jan., to Air Depot, Ogden, Utah; Maj. Orville C. King, Med., 10 Jan., to 52d Evacuation Hospital, Ft. Custer, Mich.; Maj. William H. Shields, Inf., 20 Jan., to Air Depot, Ogden, Utah; Maj. Charles P. Krick, 2 Feb., to Off. JAG, Wash., D. C.; Capt. James H. Bash, FA, 20 Jan., to Ord. Dist., St. Louis, Mo.; Capt. Leigh B. Huntley, Inf., 20 Jan., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.; Capt. Sydney C. Perell, JAG, 20 Jan., to Off. JAG, Wash., D. C.; Capt. Reid White, jr., Med., 10 Jan., to 52d Evacuation Hosp., Ft. Custer, Mich.; Capt. Herbert B. Mayer, Inf., 20 Jan., to Off. PMG, Wash., D. C.; Capt. Carl E. Berzelius, CA, 20 Jan., to Port of Embarkation, San Francisco, Calif.; Capt. Huber D. Addison, JAG, 20 Jan., to Off. JAG Wash., D. C.; Capt. Charles S. Cline, Air., 20 Jan., to Information Cen., Norfolk, Va.; Capt. Q. Van Clemens, Air., 20 Jan., to Information Center, Philadelphia, Pa.; Capt. Charles B. Paine, JAG, 20 Jan., to Off. JAG, Wash., D. C.; Capt. David G. Geffner, JAG, 20 Jan., to Off. JAG, Wash., D. C.; Capt. Godfrey B. Speir, Ord., 20 Jan., to Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; Capt. Henry G. Sellards, QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Depot, Front Royal, Va.; Capt. James K. Kent, Inf., 10 Jan., to Off. Under Sec. of War, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Robert H. Todd, QM, 20 Jan., to Holabird Qm. Depot, Baltimore, Md.; 2nd Lt. Thomas W. C. Smith, QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va. 2nd Lt. Richard M. Carlisle, QM, 20 Jan., to 4th CA Motor Transport Sch., Ft. McPherson, Ga.; 2nd Lt. Abraham H. Grondin, Inf., 20 Jan., to CW Procur. Dist., Boston, Mass.; 2nd Lt. Marcus K. Johnson, QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Depot, Jeffersonville, Ind.; 1st Lt. John H. Sandham, FA, 20 Jan., to Hartford Ord. Dist., Springfield, Mass.; 2nd Lt. Dudley C. Sturgis, jr., Fin., 20 Jan., to West Palm Beach, Fla., as asst. fin. off.; 2nd Lt. Alton M. Clay, Fin., 20 Jan., to Air Depot, Rome, N. Y., fin. off.; 2nd Lt. Abraham I. Lipman, Inf., 12 Jan., to Off. CSO, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Ralph H. Wells, QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; 1st Lt. Maurice A. Walsh, QM, 20 Jan., to Gen. Depot, Marietta, Pa.; 2nd Lt. Jules Kurtz, QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Depot, Philadelphia, Pa.; 2nd Lt. Warren L. Smith, Cav., 20 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Richard G. Dame, Ord., 20 Jan., to Ord. Plant, St. Louis, Mo.; 2nd Lt. Frank G. Pearce, CW, 20 Jan., to CW Sch. Development Lab., Massachusetts Institute of Tech., Cambridge, Mass.; 2nd Lt. Edward J. Clausen, QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Motor Supply Depot, Ft. Wayne, Detroit, Mich.; 1st Lt. Henry H. Bruderlin, CW, 20 Jan., to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; 1st Lt. Prince A. Eades, Ch., 20 Jan., to Repl. Tr. Cen., Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark., 2nd Lt. John D. Lancaster, jr., QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. Philip V. Haskell, QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Motor Supply Depot, Ft. Wayne, Mich.; 1st Lt. Allen Kenyon, Inf., 20 Jan., to Wright Fld., O.; 2nd Lt. Ervin J. Carroll, QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. John P. Pons, QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Depot, Front Royal, Va.; 1st Lt. Frank Chrencik, CW, 20 Jan., to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; 2nd Lt. Peter Krauczunas, CW, 1 Feb., to CW Sch., Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; 1st Lt. Maxwell B. Courage, Ch-AUS, 20 Jan., to 36th Inf. Div., Camp Bowie, Tex.; 1st Lt. Harry P. Henderson, Ch-AUS, 9 Jan., to 1st Arm. Div., Ft. Knox, Ky.; 2nd Lt. Douglas L. Grill, QM, 20 Jan., to Holabird Qm. Depot, Baltimore, Md.; 2nd Lt. Ralph A. Hafner, QM, 20 Jan., to Holabird Qm. Depot, Baltimore, Md.; 2nd Lt. Richard D. Hatton, jr., QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; 2nd Lt. George R. Jones, CW, 20 Jan., to Off. CWS, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Olin M. Schneider, Engr., 1 Mar., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Pvg. Gnd., Md.; 1st Lt. Seth McC. Snyder, jr., Inf., 27 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Adrian E. Minnick, FA, 20 Jan., to off. CSO, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. John D. Ellis, QM, 20 Jan., to Port of Embarkation, Brooklyn, N. Y.; 1st Lt. Samuel T. R. Revell, jr., Med., 8 Jan., to Caribbean Division, New York, N. Y.; 1st Lt. Herbert M. Licht, Inf., 20 Jan., to Engr. Board, Ft. Belvoir, Va.; 2nd Lt. Dorsey von B. Smith, CW, 18 Jan., to CW Procurement Dist., San Francisco, Calif.; 2nd Lt. Gerald O. Young, Engr., 20 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Charles R. Carson, CW, 20 Jan., to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; 1st Lt. William L. Delaney, QM, 20 Jan., to General Depot, Schenectady, N. Y.; 1st Lt. Ingalls S. Bradley, CW, 20 Jan., to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; 1st Lt. Stanley N. Perkins, Engr., 20 Jan., to CW Procurement Dist., Chicago, Ill.; 1st Lt. Charles E. Read, Ch., 20 Jan., to Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. McClellan, Ala.; 2nd Lt. DeWitt B. Stone, Inf., 20 Jan., to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; 2nd Lt. Emerson P. Kron, Engr., 20 Jan., to Wright Field, O.; 1st Lt. Hadley G. Kimes, Dent., 20 Jan., to Air Base, Fresno, Calif.; 2nd Lt. John J. Eagen, QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Depot, Boston, Mass.; 1st Lt. Leo F. Rogers, Dent., 20 Jan., to 70th Observation Group, Ft. Lewis, Wash.; 2nd Lt. Ray F. Hosier, QM, 20 Jan., to Gen. Depot, New Orleans, La.; 2nd Lt. Maxwell G. Settergren, QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; 2nd Lt. Roy Fowler, Inf., 20 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 1st Lt. George L. Zorn, Ch., 20 Jan., to 2nd Inf. Div., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; 2nd Lt. John C. Angle, jr., QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 1st Lt. Edward G. Hayward, jr., QM, 20 Jan., to Gen. Depot, Seattle, Wash.; 1st Lt. Russell M. Houghton, Inf., 20 Jan., to Wright Fld., O.; 1st Lt. Lansing LeR. Mitchell, Inf., 19 Jan., to Off. the Under Sec. of War, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Howard J. McDonald, Inf., 20 Jan., to Gulf Coast AC Tr. Cen., Randolph Fld., Tex.; 1st Lt. Daniel J. Horney, SC-NGUS, 9 Jan., to off. CSO, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. William V. Dragnett, QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Depot, Jersey City, N. J.; 1st Lt. Walter P. Plumley, Ch., 20 Jan., to Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. McClellan, Ala.; 2nd Lt. James A. Mosebach, Inf., 12 Jan., to Off. CS, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. George H. Wellington, QM, 20 Jan., to Sch. for Cooks and Bakers, Qm. Depot, Chicago, Ill.; 2nd Lt. Frederick W. Travers, CW, 20 Jan., to CW Procur. Dist., Boston, Mass.; 2nd Lt. Robert D. Phelps, Engr., 20 Jan., to Wright Field, O.; 1st Lt. Albert H. Brown, Cav., 20 Jan., to Air Depot, Wellston, Ga.; 2nd Lt. Bradley C. Douglas, QM, 20 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. Warren, Wyo.; 2nd Lt. Hubert W. Love, Engr., 20 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. George A. Smith, CA, 20 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 1st Lt. Rolland E. Miller, Inf., 20 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 1st Lt. Richard C. Sherer, Inf., 20 Jan., to Wright Fld., O.; 2nd Lt. Herman W. Brann, QM, 9 Jan., to School for Bakers and Cooks, Qm. Depot, Chicago, Ill.

Maj. Herbert R. Conover, CA, 15 Jan., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.

Following Maj.'s, 15 Jan., to sta. ind.: Leo V. Ault, QM, Wayne County Airport, Romulus, Mich.; Dell K. Steuart, JAG, to JAG Off., Wash., D. C.

Following Maj.'s to 52nd Evacuation Hospital, Ft. Custer, Mich.: Gladwyn Graham, Dent.; John H. Gibbon, jr., Med.

Following off., to sta. ind.: Maj. Howard Carleton, jr., Inf., 16 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; Capt. Wilbur C. Cotner, Air., 16 Jan., to AC Ferrying Comd., Nashville, Tenn.; Capt. Claude P. Rowan, QM, 16 Jan., to Wright Fld., O.; 1st Lt. Burie L. Bell, FA, 16 Jan., to Air Depot, Duncan Fld., San Antonio, Tex.; 2nd Lt. Frank C. Henry, FA, 16 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 1st Lt. Charles R. Wood, Inf., 16 Jan., to hq., Fifth Corps Area, Ft. Hayes, Columbus, O.; 1st Lt. Fred B. Keller, jr., Inf., 16 Jan., to Off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.; 1st Lt. Charles A. Whitcomb, Inf., 16 Jan., to Wright Fld., O., Air Service Command; 1st Lt. Francis M. Montanus, Inf., 16 Jan., to Wright Fld., O.; 2nd Lt. Forest O. Wells, CW, 16 Jan., to CW Procurement Dist., Pittsburgh, Pa.; 1st Lt. Herbert G. Hudson, Inf., 16 Jan., to Air Depot, Hill Fld., Ogden, Utah; 1st Lt. Harry H. Duckworth, Inf., 16 Jan., to Air Depot, Hill Fld., Ogden, Utah; 2nd Lt. Herman S. Seelig, Inf., 16 Jan., to CWS Development Lab., Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass.; 1st Lt. Henry W. Kachel, Engr., 16 Jan., to Wright Fld., O.; 1st Lt. Beverly P. Head, jr., Inf., 16 Jan., to Holabird Qm Depot, Baltimore, Md.; 2nd Lt. John L. Hotz, Engr., 16 Jan., to Eastern Air Corps Procurement Dist., New York, N. Y.; 2nd Lt. William W. Turpin, Engr., 16 Jan., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.; 2nd Lt. George S. Stoltz, QM, 16 Jan., to School for Bakers and Cooks, Qm Depot, Chicago, Ill.; 1st Lt. Clifford R. Nysewander, 16 Jan., to First Arm. Div., Ft. Knox, Ky.; 1st Lt. Raymond E. Clouse, Inf., 15 Jan., to hq., Selective Service System, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. William A. Bond, FA, 16 Jan., to Off. C. of S, Wash., D. C.; 1st Lt. Arthur J. Abbott, QM, 16 Jan., Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. Arthur R. Olson, CW, 5 Jan., to CWS Development Lab., Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass.; 1st Lt. Robert F. Marek, Engr., 16 Jan., to Ord. Repl. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Arthur J. McLaughlin, Inf., 16 Jan., to hq., Seventh Corps Area, Omaha, Nebr.; 2nd Lt. Jesse H. Oppenheimer, QM, 17 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 1st Lt. James A. Tyler, Engr., 16 Jan., to office, C. of O., Wash., D. C.; 1st Lt. Raymond C. Regnier, Engr., 16 Jan., to Huntsville Arsenal, Ala.; 1st Lt. George C. Vaughan, Air., 16 Jan., to Wright Fld., Dayton, O.; 1st Lt. Reginald J. Nahas, Cav., 16 Jan., to Ord. Dist., New York, N. Y.; 1st Lt. Wade H. Heaton, Inf., 9 Jan., to Office, PMG, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Robert D. Coombs III, Ord., 4 Jan., to CWS Development Lab., Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass.; 2nd Lt. Edgar J. Mack, jr., QM, 4 Jan., to Wright Fld., O.; 2nd Lt. Earl G. Gill, jr., Engr., 16 Jan., to Signal Depot, Philadelphia, Pa.; 2nd Lt. Ivan W. Spraitzar, Engr., 16 Jan., Office, CO, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Charles V. F. DeMailly, Ord., 9 Jan., to Ord. Dist., Boston, Mass.; 2nd Lt. George E. Hall, jr., CW, 16 Jan., to CW School, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; 1st Lt. John B. Calfee, FA, 16 Jan., Off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.; 1st Lt. Franklin E. Wilson, FA, 16 Jan., to Air Depot, Patterson Fld., Fairfield, O.; 2nd Lt. Paul N. Reed, QM, 16 Jan., to Qm. Depot, Jeffersonville, Ind.; 1st Lt. Arthur Eichler, QM, 16 Jan., to Qm. Depot, Jersey City, N. J.; 1st Lt. Thomas P. Brownrigg, Inf., 16 Jan., to Off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Leon K. Bryner, QM, 16 Jan., to Qm. Depot, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Fred D. Scyphers, CA, 16 Jan., to Arm. Force School, Ft. Knox, Ky.; 2nd Lt. Harry T. Watts, jr., Inf., 16 Jan., to Air Depot, Brookley Fld., Mobile, Ala.; 1st Lt. Wilfred C. Gamrath, Inf., 16 Jan., to Off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.; 1st Lt. Michael B. Messore, Dent., 16 Jan., to 152d Observation Sq., Hillsgrove, R. I.; 1st Lt. Nelson E. Lister, CW, 16 Jan., to CW Procurement Dist., Pittsburgh, Pa.; 2nd Lt. John R. Deck, Inf., 5 Jan., to San Francisco Port of Embarkation, Ft. Mason, Calif.; 2nd Lt. Ben H. Roberts, Air., 16 Jan., Air Service Comd., Wright Fld., O.; 2nd Lt. John T. Flournoy, QM, 8 Jan., to School for Bakers and Cooks, Qm. Depot, Chicago, Ill.; 2nd Lt. Roy A. Workman, QM, 8 Jan., to School for Bakers and Cooks, Qm. Depot, Chicago, Ill.; 1st Lt. Elmer D. White, Sig., 9 Jan., to Wright Fld., Dayton, O.; 1st Lt. Donald R. Pears, QM, 16 Jan., to General Depot, Voorheesville, N. Y.; 1st Lt. Lamar Dear, CA, 16 Jan., to Ft. Monmouth, N. J.; 2nd Lt. Jonathan Poriss, Ord., 16 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. James H. Rogers, QM, 16 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; 2nd Lt. William C. Saunier, QM, 16 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; 2nd Lt. Richard S. Rowe, QM, 16 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; 2nd Lt. Robert B. Bennett, QM, 16 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. Robert A. Wunsch, Inf., 16 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. William T. Williams, jr., QM, 16 Jan., to Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.

Following off., to sta. ind.: Maj. Paul H. Sherrick, CW, 10 Jan., to Off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.; Capt. Harold I. Arnett, Inf., 17 Jan., to Air Depot, Brookley Fld., Mobile, Ala.; Capt. Harley D. Harpold, QM, 17 Jan., to QM Motor Transport Sch., Port of Stockton, Stockton, Calif.; Capt. Henry G. Hoberg, FA, 17 Jan., to Off., CSO, Wash., D. C.; Capt. George W. Ayers, Air., 17 Jan., to Information Center, New York, N. Y.; Ch. (1st Lt.) Hugo K. List, AUS, 17 Jan., 45th Inf., Div., Camp Barkeley, Tex.; 1st Lt. William J. Nawrocki, Engr., 17 Jan., Engr. Board, Ft. Belvoir, Va.; 2nd Lt. Earl E. Rigsby, Inf., 17 Jan., Air Service Comdr., Air Depot, Olmsted Fld., Middletown, Pa.; 1st Lt. John L. Armitage, FA, 17 Jan., CW Sch., Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; 2nd Lt. Robert A. Burton, jr., CW, 3 Jan., CW Sch., Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; 1st Lt. Glen R. Myers, FA, 17 Jan., Air Service Comd., Air Depot, Olmsted Fld., Middletown, Pa.; 1st Lt. Andrew J. Duncan, FA, 17 Jan., off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Thomas B. Mahone, jr., QM, 17 Jan., Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 1st Lt. Frederic Witmer, Ch., 17 Jan., Qm. Repl. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. Richard B. Washington, Cav., 5 Jan., off. CSO, Wash., D. C.; 1st Lt. Edward N. Dean, Ord., 7 Jan. Jayhawk Ord. Works, Baxter Springs, Kan.; 1st Lt. Carl A. Weinman, Inf., 3 Jan., Air Serv. Comdr., Port of Embarkation, New York, N. Y.; 2nd Lt. Ralph E. Lindgren, Inf., 12 Jan., Wright Field, Dayton, O.; 1st Lt. Henry H. Martin, jr., Engr., 5 Jan., Engr. Procurement Dist., San Francisco, Calif.; 1st Lt. James G. Russell, jr., Inf., 17 Jan., Off. C. S., Wash., D. C.; 1st Lt. Manuel J. Novak, QM, 9 Jan., Air Service Comd., Air Depot, Duncan Field, San Antonio, Tex.

Capt. Herman E. Schuler, FA, 15 Jan., to AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.

Following Capt.'s, 15 Jan., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.; Lawrence R. Cole, Inf.; Clinton A. Drury, FA; Robert C. Weber, QM.

Capt. Eugene W. Weber, Engr., 2 Jan., to C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Capt. William J. Seibert, QM, 13 Jan., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.

Following Capt.'s, Med., 5 Jan., to 52nd Evacuation Hosp., Ft. Custer, Mich.: John L. Farmer, Harlan F. Haines, Robert R. Impink, William U. McClenahan, Leonard W. Parkhurst, Paul H. Roeder, Paul T. Strong.

Capt. Harry L. Smith, Inf., orders revoked.

Following 1st Lt.'s, to sta. ind.: Elmer W. Gable, Engr., 15 Jan., to Eastern AC Procurement Dist., New York, N. Y.; George S. Wierzalis, Ch-AUS, 15 Jan., to 168th FA, Camp Forrest, Tenn.; Ray W. Fields, Dent., 15 Jan., to Dale Mabry Fld., Tallahassee, Fla.; Harvey W. Graham, AUS, 5 Jan., to 37th Inf. Div., Camp Shelby, Miss.; Earold D. Biddens, Ch-AUS, 15 Jan., to 77th FA, Ft. D. A. Russell, Tex.; Arthur S. Folino, Inf., 15 Jan., to Wright Fld., Dayton, O., Air Service Comd.; Robert H. Bucknell, Inf., 3 Jan., to Off., Chief of Morale Branch, Wash., D. C.; Richard A. Gardner, Inf., 15 Jan., to Fairfield Air Depot, Patterson Fld., O.; John F. Creedon, QM, 15 Jan., to Gen. Depot, Shamokin, Pa.; Milton J. Adler, QM, 15 Jan., Off., Chief of Morale Branch, Wash., D. C.; Andrew V. Meanor, Ch., AUS, 15 Jan., to Barrage Balloon Tr. Cen., Camp Davis, N. C.; Thomas N. Charles, Air., 5 Jan., to Air Force Base, Bangor, Me.

Following 1st Lt.'s, to sta. ind.: Warren G. Callaway, Inf., 14 Jan., to 64th Engrs., Ft. Benning, Ga.; Burt D. Ferris, Cav., 11 Jan., to Air Service Comd., Wright Fld., O.; Max R. Soth, 12 Jan., to Ord. Dist., Chicago, Ill.

1st Lt. Frank H. Baker, jr., CAC, 2 Jan., to Stark General Hospital, Charleston, S. C.

Following 1st Lt.'s, 15 Jan., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.: Benjamin

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G. Welsch, QM; William P. Wilkison, QM.

Following 1st Lt.'s, 5 Jan., to 52nd Evacuation Hospital, Ft. Custer, Mich.: Richard G. Canfield, Med.; Francis F. Hart, Med.; Carl A. Hedblom, jr., Med-AUS; William L. Heck, Dent.

Following 2nd Lt.'s, to sta. ind.: Robert T. Leiter, QM, 14 Jan., to Holabird QM Depot, Baltimore, Md.; Earl H. Severs, QM, 14 Jan., to Sig. Depot, Philadelphia, Pa.; Ned D. Wallace, QM, 14 Jan., to QM Depot, Jersey City, N. J.; Edward D. Northrup, CA, 20 Jan., to SC Sch., Ft. Monmouth, N. J.; Royce H. Foley, QM; 15 Feb., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; O. B. Freeman, jr., QM, 14 Jan., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; Karl H. Hoffman, QM, 14 Jan., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; Joseph N. Kellerman, QM, 14 Jan., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; Harold L. Miller, QM, 14 Jan.; to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; Delbert M. Yergensen, QM, 14 Jan., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; Seymour L. Mischel, QM, 14 Jan., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. Samuel C. Re, QM, 1 Feb., to Holabird QM Depot, Baltimore, Md.; John J. Mahoney, QM, 14 Jan., to QM Depot, Boston, Mass.; Harold C. Sperka, QM, 1 Feb., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; Daniel L. Schlafly, QM, 14 Jan., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.

2nd Lt. Evan E. Settle, jr., Inf., 15 Jan., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.

Following 2nd Lt.'s, to sta. ind.: John S. Temple, jr., QM, 13 Jan., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; Clyde L. Butler, QM, 15 Jan., to QM Depot, Chicago, Ill.; Wayne L. Ablott, FA, 13 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

Following 2nd Lt.'s, to sta. ind.: Kenneth Foster, QM, 15 Jan., to Off. QMG, Wash., D. C.; Thomas C. Yager, QM, 1 Feb., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; Paul R. Pittman, jr., Inf., 15 Jan., to AC, Wright Fld., O.; Harold Brownell, CA, 15 Jan., to Mobile Air Depot, Brookley Fld., Mobile, Ala.; Arthur Y. Lloyd, Inf., 15 Jan., to Wright Fld., O.; Herschel L. Johnson, 15 Jan., to QM Motor Supply Depot, Ft. Wayne, Mich.; Frank T. Hamilton, FA, 15 Jan., to Ord. Dist., Cincinnati, O.; Elwood H. Huss, Inf., 15 Jan., to Air Service Comd., Air Depot, Wellston, Ga.; John R. Williams, CA, 15 Jan., to Wright Fld., Dayton, O.; Charles B. Borden, Cav., 5 Jan., Off. C. of S., Wash., D. C.; Clifford N. Melzer, Sig., 15 Jan., to SC Procurement Dist., Philadelphia, Pa.; Kenneth R. Bowers, QM, 15 Jan., to QM Depot, Jeffersonville, Ind.; Frank T. Heinemann, QM, 15 Jan. to QM Depot, Washington, D. C.; Henry M. Buck, Engr., 15 Jan., to off. CSO, Wash., D. C.; Clark L. Bachler, Ord., 15 Jan., to Kankakee Ord. Works, Joliet, Ill.; William E. Mydans, CW, 15 Jan., to CW Sch., Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; Marcus W. Marshall, 15 Jan., to CW Procurement Dist., Pittsburgh, Pa.; Harvey R. Pretty, QM, 15 Jan., to Gen. Depot, San Francisco, Calif.; Paul P. Hook, Inf., 15 Jan., to Central AC Procurement Sta., Detroit, Mich.; George W. Weitlauf, jr., Inf., 15 Jan., to Eastern AC Procurement Dist., New York, N. Y.; John B. Allen, QM, 15 Jan., to Off. C. of E., Wash., D. C.; Duncan J. S. MacMillan, QM, 15 Jan., to Port of Embarkation, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Wilfred J. LeBrun, QM, 15 Jan., to QM Depot, Boston, Mass.; Donald S. Fraley, QM, 15 Jan., to QM Depot, Jersey City, N. J.; Peter H. Peters, QM, 15 Jan., to Port of Embarkation, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Thomas N. Tully, QM, 15 Jan., to QM Depot, Jersey City, N. J.; Donald J. Mullett, FA, 15 Jan., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.

2nd Lt. George W. Elliott, jr., Inf., prior orders revoked. 2 Jan., to Army Group, Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. William J. Isber, QM, prior orders revoked.

2nd Lt. Orville W. Schmidt, FA, prior orders revoked.

2nd Lt. Daniel Tyler, jr., QM, prior orders revoked.

2nd Lt. Allen J. Friedman, Inf., 2 Jan., to C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Conrad M. Semler, jr., QM, 20 Jan., to Holabird QM Depot, Baltimore, Md.

2nd Lt. Jesse D. Patterson, Inf., 12 Jan., to C. of S., Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Joseph E. Forch, QGD, 1 Jan., to Postal Regulating Sta., Second Corps Area, Governors Island, N. Y.

2nd Lt. Austin J. Bonis, Inf., 2 Jan., to C. of S., Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. William H. Harridge, FA, 5 Jan., to C. of S., Washington, D. C.

2nd Lt. Manford E. Nelson, QM, 14 Jan., to C. of C., Wash., D. C.

Following 2nd Lt.'s, QM, 15 Jan., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.: Robert K. Allison, jr.; William MacN. Fitch, Frank G. Hall, jr.; Clem H. Sammons, jr.; Samuel P. Shuler, jr.; Paul G. Thomas, James H. Tice, Richard V. Henry, jr.

Following 2nd Lt.'s, QM, 15 Jan., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; Richard L. Berkson, Stuart G. Dunlop, Everett, N. Eastman; Harry I. Irvin, Roy M. Mueller, Waldo Reininger, Robert P. Shirley, George C. Summers, Perry O. Wilhite, jr.

Following 2nd Lt.'s, 15 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.: Herbert E. Sears, Inf.; Joseph P. Smith, Engr.; Norman H. Smith, Inf.; Howard W. Snyder, Fa; Elliott S. Washburn, FA; John E. Shiteselt, Engr.; Stephen J. Zagreski, CA, John H. Zich, Inf., Thomas Richardson, Inf.

2nd Lt. Charles W. McIlvaine, jr., QM, prior orders revoked.

Following 2nd Lt.'s, to sta. ind.: Joseph J. Ecker, jr., QM, 14 Jan., to QM Depot, Boston, Mass.; John J. Grimes, jr., Engr., 14 Jan., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.; Arthur J. Hickman, QM, 14 Jan., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; Lewis Muhlfelder, QM, 14 Jan., to QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; Joseph J. Roberto, QM, 14 Jan., to Holabird QM Depot, Baltimore, Md.; Leland B. Salters, jr., Inf., 14 Jan., to Ord. Rep. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; William S. Woods, jr., QM, 3 Jan., to QM Depot, Jersey City, N. J.

Following 2nd Lt.'s, 15 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.: Henry T. Coffee, Inf.; Vernon A. Nieberlein, Inf.; Frank E. Sadowski, Inf.; Theodore E. Schroeder, FA; Robert I. Schumacher, FA; John D. Varn, jr., Inf.; Warren F. Westerberg, Inf.; Richard K. Williams, FA.

2nd Lt. Walter R. Doud, MA, 5 Jan., to 52nd Evacuation Hospital, Ft. Custer, Mich.

2nd Lt. Francis M. Barry, QM, prior orders revoked.

ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES

Capt. James T. Sheridan, 14 Jan., to off., C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Robert H. Barnes, 14 Jan., to Air Depot, Duncan Fld., San Antonio, Tex.

Capt. Stanford J. Barlett, 14 Jan., to Wright Fld., O.

Following off., to sta. ind.: Maj. Baldwin Nichols, 16 Jan., to Eastern AC Procurement Dist., New York, N. Y.; Capt. Benjamin W. Lichty, 16 Jan., to Holabird QM Depot, Baltimore, Md.; Capt. Dudley C. Roth, 16 Jan., to Production Survey Branch, Wright Fld., Dayton, O.; 1st Lt. Norman A. Converse, 16 Jan., to SC Lab., Ft. Monmouth, N. J.; 2nd Lt. Edward R. Dressler, 3 Jan., to Gen. Depot, San Francisco, Calif.; 2nd Lt. Charles Raulerson, 9 Jan., to hq., armd. Force, Ft. Knox, Ky.; 2nd Lt. Walter B. Schiebel, jr., 16 Jan., to Aircraft Warning Service, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Lt. Col. John K. Howard, 20 Jan., to Off., PMG, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Hartley P. Smith, 20 Jan., to off., C. of O., Wash., D. C.

Maj. Raymond M. Holmes, 20 Jan., to off., C. of CWS, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Thomas H. Baker, jr., 20 Jan., to Air Depot, Mobile, Ala.

Capt. Orville E. Mohler, 20 Jan., to Wright Fld., O.

2nd Lt. Donald L. Heimes, 15 Feb., to Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Capt. William J. McDonald, 20 Jan., to off., C. of O., Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Victor M. Wolf, 20 Jan., to Electronics Tr. Group, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Maj. William P. Lacy, 20 Jan., to off., C. of O., Wash., D. C.

LATE ARMY ORDERS

(Received too late for classification)

General Staff Corps

Lt. Col. Russell A. Snook, (Inf.) from Ft. Dix, N. J., 7 Jan., to MP Board, Arlington Cantonment, Va.

Lt. Col. William H. Schildroth, from Wash., D. C., to GHQ, Army War College, Wash., D. C.

Adjutant General's Department

Following off., from sta. ind., to Port of Embarkation, New Orleans, La.: Capt. David G. Howell, Ft. Hayes, O.; 2nd Lt. Stewart L. Houser, Ft. Thomas, Ky.; 2nd Lt. Robert H. Wheeldon, jr., Ft. Harrison, Ind.

Quartermaster Corps

Maj. Laurence E. Darlington, from Port of Stockton, Calif., to Motor Trans. Sch., Stockton, Calif.

2nd Lt. Calvin G. Miller, Brooks, Fld., Tex., to asst. post utilities off., that station.

2nd Lt. Claude L. Bowling, from Jeffersonville, Ind., to sta. comp., Selfridge Fld., Mich.

2nd Lt. Clifford J. Colbert prior orders revoked, Wash., D. C., to asst. post utilities off., Army War College.

Medical Corps

Capt. Rubin R. Bresler, from Ft. Belvoir, Va., 1 Feb., to sta. comp., Maxwell Fld., Ala.

Capt. Peter J. Galante, from Camp Callan, Calif., 1 Feb., to Fitzsimons Gen. Hosp., Denver, Colo.

Following off., from Indiantown Gap, Pa., to sta. ind.: Capt. Paul B. Reis, sta. comp., Olmsted Fld., Pa.; Capt. Forrest F. Smith, jr., sta. comp., Westover Fld., Mass.; 1st Lt. Louis A. Lame, sta. comp., Gowen Fld., Idaho.

1st Lt. Morton Simons, from Camp Forrest, Tenn., 1 Feb., to sta. comp., MacDill Fld., Fla.

Dental Corps

Following off., from sta. ind., 1 Feb., to sta. comp., Army Air Base, Albuquerque, N. Mex.; Capt. Wayne F. Christiansen, Camp Wolters, Tex.; 1st Lt. Clarence C. Kersey, Ft. Sill, Okla.

1st Lt. Theodore K. Heess, from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., 3 Feb., to inactive status.

Sanitary Corps

Capt. Murphy L. Davis, from St. Louis, Mo., to off., SG, Wash., D. C.

Finance Department

Capt. Barry D. Greer, Wash., D. C., to fin. off., USA, Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. George R. Clark, from Valdosta, Ga., to sta. comp., Maxwell Fld., Ala.

Corps of Engineers

Col. Xenophon H. Price, prior orders amended, from Camp Beauregard, La., 16 Jan., to faculty, Engr. Sch., Ft. Belvoir, Va.

Lt. Col. Arthur J. Sheridan, from New York, N. Y., to asst. dist. engr., New York, N. Y.

Maj. Charles H. Roe, New York, N. Y., to executive off., that station.

Capt. James W. Dement, jr., Mobile, Ala., to executive off., Birmingham Engr. Procurement Dist., Mobile, Ala.

Capt. William H. Pettigrew, from Savannah, Ga., to asst. div. engr., South Atlantic Engr. Div., Richmond, Va.

Capt. Theron E. Roberts (FD) from Omaha, Neb., 7 Jan., to hq., Selective Service System, Jefferson City, Mo.

Capt. Joseph M. Geoghegan, from Boston, Mass., to off., C. of E., Wash., D. C.

Capt. Hugh A. Graff, from Lacarne, O., to asst. dist. engr., Columbus, O.

Capt. Charles S. Davis, jr., from Omaha, Neb., to asst. div. engr., Missouri River Engr. Div., Kansas City, Mo.

Capt. James D. Strong, orders revoked.

Capt. Raymond G. Shaw, from Ft. Benning, Ga., to asst. dist. engr., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Capt. Edward P. Kern, from Camp Edwards, Mass., to Air Service Comd., Presque Isle, Me.

1st Lt. Elmer R. Haile, jr., Ft. Belvoir, Va., to Engr. Rep. Tr. Cen., that station.

1st Lt. Philip P. Gilbert, from Camp Wolters, Tex., to post utilities off., Ft. McIntosh, Tex.

1st Lt. Harold P. Morgan, Ft. Belvoir, Va., to Engr. Board, that station.

2nd Lt. Paul R. Goudy, Ft. Belvoir, Va., to faculty, Engr. Sch., that station.

2nd Lt. Thomas R. Cooper, Ft. Belvoir, Va., to Engr. Sch. Ser. Comd., that station.

2nd Lt. Lynn G. Wood, Wash., D. C., 1 Feb., to off., Under Sec. of War.

Ordnance Department

Col. Scott B. Ritchie, prior orders revoked.

Lt. Col. Roy L. Bowlin, prior orders revoked.

Maj. Edward Gluck, from Wash., D. C., to Ord. Dist., New York, N. Y.

Capt. Donald G. Graves, from Augusta, Ga., 15 Jan., to Keystone Ord. Works, Geneva, Pa.

1st Lt. Roy E. Rayle, jr., from Eglin Fld., Fla., to off., C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

Signal Corps

Lt. Col. Henry J. Schroeder, prior orders amended, to SC Off. Pool, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Maj. Walter E. Dobbins, jr., from Camp Claiborne, La., to off., CSO, Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Albert W. Stone, from Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to SC Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Crowder, Mo.

Chaplain Corps

Ch. (1st Lt.) William E. Walker, jr., from Stockton Fld., Calif., 15 Jan., to ACAFS, Higley, Ark.

Following Ch. (1st Lt.) from Camp Grant, Ill., to Med. Dept. Rep. Tr. Cen., that station: Glen A. Blackburn, Gary A. Bousman, John B. Dalton, Rudolph F. Loldolt, Barnabas B. McAlarney, Norbert L. Rosenthal, Luther G. H. Schliesser.

Cavalry

Lt. Col. Donald S. Perry, from Wash., D. C., 20 Jan., to Cav. Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Riley, Kans.

Capt. Russell C. Lord, from Wash., D. C., 7 Jan., to faculty, MP Sch., Arlington Cantonment, Va.

Field Artillery

Col. John J. Waterman, retired, 31 Jan., disability incident to service.

Lt. Col. Conrad G. Follansbee, from Ft. Bragg, N. C., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Following off., from Bowman Fld., Ky., to sta. comp., ACAFS, Tuskegee, Ala.: Capt. Fleetwood M. McCoy, Capt. William L. Turner, 1st Lt. Roscoe P. Burton.

Capt. Rudolph Morgan, from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., 20 Jan., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Capt. Leon A. Krebs, (1st Lt.) from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., 4 Feb., to unit rendezvous, Pikesville, Md.

1st Lt. Douglas D. Bigbie, from Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt., 3 Feb., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Warder J. Oates, from Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., 7 Jan., to Middletown Air Depot, Olmsted Fld., Pa.

Coast Artillery Corps

Col. Walter K. Dunn, from Ft. Constitution, N. H., to hq. 1st Corps Area, Boston, Mass.

Lt. Col. Mark A. Dawson, from Ft. H. G. Wright, N. Y., 1 Mar., to CA Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Eustis, Va.

1st Lt. Harry C. Powell, from Ft. Ontario, N. Y., to Air Service Comd., Dayton, O.

1st Lt. Jay L. Cannon, jr., from Ft. Barrancas, Fla., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Infantry

Col. Charles L. Sampson, from Presidio of San Francisco, Calif., 1 Feb., to U. of Ore., Eugene, Ore.

Lt. Col. Gerald B. O'Grady, from Ft. Dix, N. J., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

Maj. Godwin Ordway, jr., from Ft. Benning, Ga., to off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Maj. Orville R. Emerson, from Savannah, Ga., to hq. 4th Air Support Comd., Hamilton Fld., Calif.

Capt. John L. Holcombe, from Camp Wolters, Tex., to Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.

Capt. Walter J. Cornwall, prior orders amended, "Capt. Walter J. Cornwell."

Capt. Sam E. Jeffords, from Ft. Jackson, S. C., to ACTS, Biloxi, Miss.

1st Lt. Livingston R. Wever, from Ft. Jackson, S. C., 7 Jan., to Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

1st Lt. Floyd L. Nichols, prior orders amended, "1st Lt. Floy L. Nichols."

1st Lt. Philip E. Parbury, from Camp Wolters, Tex., to San Antonio Air Depot, Duncan Fld., Tex.

2nd Lt. William D. Bright, prior orders amended, to SC Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Crowder, Mo.

2nd Lt. Silva E. Hartley, prior orders revoked.

Air Corps

Col. James F. Powell, from Wash., D. C., to West Coast AC Tr. Cen., Moffett Fld., Calif.

Lt. Col. Douglas W. Winfree, from Wash., D. C., to Wright Fld., O.

Lt. Col. Frederick Von H. Kimble, from Wash., D. C., to hq, Southeast AC Tr. Cen., Maxwell Fld., Ala.

Maj. Daniel B. White, from Dallas, Tex., to Wright Fld., O.

Maj. Charles B. Root, from Uvalde, Tex., 1 Feb., to ACGS, Harlingen, Tex.

Capt. Jack R. Younger, Wash., D. C., off., C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Jerry D. Page, from Randolph Fld., Tex., to ACAFS, Mission, Tex.

1st Lt. Rudolph E. Flack, from Moffett Fld., Calif., to MacDill Fld., Fla.

1st Lt. Walter W. Farmer, from Randolph Fld., Tex., to AC Tr. det., Hanger Six, Intermediate, Uvalde, Tex.

Following 2nd Lts. prior orders revoked: John Z. Hargrove, Jack A. Webb.

Orders to Retired Officers

Maj. James W. Smith, to active duty, 6 Jan., to CASC, sta. comp., Camp Callan, Calif.

Promotions

2nd Lt. Walter C. Stroud, AC, to 1st Lt., 6 Jan.

Following off., to rank ind., 6 Jan.: Richard W. Britt, Med., Capt.; James T. Cooper, Inf., Capt.; Frederick W. Dyke, QM, Capt.; Fred V. L. Flynn, Inf., 1st Lt.; Harold H. Fuller, Inf., Maj.; William Gramlich, AG, 1st Lt.; Richard P. Heppner, FA, Capt.; Henry J. Heuer, Sig., Capt.; James W. Hudgins, Sig., 1st Lt.; Joseph H. Naumoff, Med., Capt.; Stephen W. Ondash, Med., Capt.; John F. Reading, QM, 1st Lt.; Edward T. Rickards, Cav., 1st Lt.; Elton S. Ross, Inf., Capt.; Otto J. Schurig, Spec., Maj.; Cornelius F. Smedeburg, Ord., Capt.; Thomas E. Terry, AG, Maj.; Kurt A. Weigehausen, Inf., Maj.

Temporary Promotions

Following off., to rank ind., 6 Jan.: George C. Boyer, QM, 1st Lt.; John N. Green, FA, Maj.; Russell A. Ramsey, FA, Maj.

Following Capts., MC, to Majs., 24 Dec.: Louis Adelman, Robert W. Ball, Mac B. Benjamin, Arthur J. Berger, Samuel B. Frank, Richard S. Fixott, Hiram Gallagher, Henry L. Harrell, Stephen J. Karpenski, Raymond LeR. Kessler, Frank J. Koenig, Oza J. Lee, Barge, Max B. McQueen, Charles E. Mason, J. I. Mason, Steven A. Mazar, Chester J. Miller, Raymond Mundt, David M. Parker, Thomas L. Piazza, Francis I. Powers, George B. Randall, Earl B. Ray, Edward L. Rice, John M. Snyder, George R. Suckow, Malcolm N. Wilmes, Otto C. Yens, Paul S. Hill.

Following 1st Lts., MC, to Capts., 24 Dec.: Daniel K. Adler, Donald M. Alderson, William R. Althoff, Louis B. Arnoldi, Philip Ashman, Harold Axelrod, Alonzo N. Baker, James Baker, Herbert G. Barak, Fred C. Barr, James O. Barr, Gerhard H. Bauer, Charles Beaty, Philip R. Beckjord, Harry O. Beem, Robert F. Bell, Robert S. Bell, Samuel Berke, Albert L. Berndt, Harold F. Bishop, Joe M. Blumberg, Joseph G. Bohorfoush, Howard R. Bohrer, Adlore L. Boucher, John Bowers, Ridgway H. Brothers, Abraham Browdie, George H. Brown, Jesse B. Brown, Malvern T. Bryan, Arthur L. Burks, C. J. Buscaglia, Herman Bush, Joseph B. Cole, Willard S. Calden, Horton Camp, Aaron Callan, Wayne K. Cooper, Henry M. Counts, Herbert G. Cull, Howard H. Curd, Maurice Edelstein, Curtis H. Epps, Arthur N. Erickson, William A. Glaubman, Gordon D. Hall, Caldwell K. Hamilton, John S. M. Hamilton, Louis J. Hampton, Merrill B. Hayes, Gilbert C. Herndon, Raynor E. Holmes, jr., Charles McC. Hughey, Henry E. Hutchison, Christian G. Johnson, Vincent R. Kelleher, James Kiely, Marvin P. Knight, Charles E. Koeman, Charles D. Krause, Henry T. Lay, Arthur S. Leavitt, Sydney Leider, Ralph Leser, George M. Lichtenstein, John R. Lidy, Leo Litter, Anthony L. Lombardi, Elias Long, Vivion F. Lowell, John G. McKeon, Herman F. Meckstroth, Matthew Mendelson,

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Sam J. Merenda, Morton A. Meyer, Fabian M. Mihelic, Chester G. Moore, jr., Charles E. Moran, Thomas A. Morgan, John R. Morrison, Marcus E. Morrison, John D. Morrocco, Arch S. Morrow, Jules S. Motty, jr., Albrecht E. Muller, John G. Novak, Robert M. Nelson, Christopher Parnall, jr., George W. Patterson, James McG. Peery, Charles H. Reagan, Evan C. Reese, Edward D. Riner, Humbert L. Riva, Arthur J. D. Roberts, jr., David P. Roberts, Jay P. Roller, Donald L. Rose, Abraham E. Rosen, John T. Schnebly, Martin L. Sebastian, Herman Seltz, Arthur I. Sims, George C. Smith, Jack I. Smith, Percy L. Smith, Aaron A. Sprong, Thomas Z. Stanley, Otto J. Swisher, jr., Adam G. Swiss, Frederick G. Templeton, George E. Thomassy, John E. Thompson, Thomas E. Thompson, jr., Francis I. Tomlins, Olfert W. Topp, Frank M. Townsend, Isadore Tuerk, Wilton E. Tugwell, Edward L. Tuohy, Walter R. Tupper.

Lt. Col. Rex K. Stoner, (Maj.), temp. appointment as Lt. Col., terminated 7 Jan.

Following 1st Lts., MC, to Capt., 24 Dec.: M. Robert Drummond, Stephen L. Gumport, Charles F. Wilkinson, jr., Joseph R. Henry.

Following Majs., to Lt. Cols., 24 Dec.:

Logan C. Berry, Cav.	N. B. Simmonds, CAC
Otto P. Bragan, Inf.	V. Waibridge, CAC
R. J. McBride, Inf.	W. W. Scott, FA
C. W. Van Way, jr., Inf.	S. Berliner, CAC
	J. B. Rasbach, FA
R. D. McHugh, Inf.	L. M. Johnson, CWS
W. H. Bertsch, jr., FA	John S. Taylor, Inf.
	Louis B. Rutte, Inf.
Gerald J. Reid, FA	S. S. Hamilton, Inf.
Edward H. White, AC	F. N. Latimer, Inf.
James W. Clyburn, FA	Carl J. Crane, AC
D. G. Erskine, GSC	James P. Hill, GSC
A. D. Mead, jr., Inf.	R. D. Palmer, Cav.
A. N. Stubblebine, jr., QMC	M. E. McGowan, Inf.
	T. C. Wood, jr., FA
C. H. Royce, Inf.	G. H. Decker, GSC
P. A. Pickhardt, Inf.	Conrad L. Boyle, FA
O. de la Rosa, QMC	E. J. O'Neill, GSC
W. O. Eareckson, AC	R. R. Martin, Inf.
W. L. Coughlin, FA	John P. Willey, Cav.
W. T. Sexton, GSC	G. E. Isaacs, AGD
H. C. Burgess, Inf.	H. F. Chrisman, FD
F. R. Stevens, GSC	G. C. Reinhardt, CE
G. E. Wrockloff, jr., FA	W. J. Bradley, Cav.
	C. L. Ruffner, Cav.
J. E. Macklin, QMC	R. Gaither, Inf.
Charles E. Hart, FA	Earl W. Aldrup, QMC
George A. Ford, CAC	C. G. Follansbee, FA
E. A. Chazal, Inf.	J. H. Sampson, jr., FA
T. A. Jennings, FA	A. E. Schanze, GSC
Reed Graves, CAC	H. E. Engler, AC
M. E. Smith, jr., Inf.	T. A. Doxey, jr., CWS
John G. Hill, Inf.	William D. Old, AC
J. Massaro, FA	G. C. Charles, Inf.
W. K. Dudley, Inf.	A. Bratton, QMC
A. S. Gamble, CAC	H. M. Manderbach, QMC
J. R. Hawkins, AC	
Charles L. Booth, FA	J. Reagan, jr., Inf.
Emil Lenzner, SC	Raymond C. Lane, Inf.
E. A. Murphy, Inf.	S. P. McNickle, CAC
W. H. Maglin, Inf.	Will K. Stennis, CAC
R. E. Fisher, AC	G. F. Schulgen, GSC
W. S. Triplet, Inf.	Otto P. Weyland, AC
G. W. Smythe, Inf.	K. J. Gregg, AC
J. H. Claybrook, Cav.	Frank R. Loyd, Inf.
R. A. Malin, GSC	H. W. Miller, Cav.
J. E. Purcell, GSC	C. S. Thorpe, AC
John A. Elmore, Inf.	Howard H. Couch, AC
J. W. Ramsey, jr., AGD	Wilfred J. Paul, AC
	G. L. Davasher, AC
F. J. Graling, GSC	C. S. Stodter, SC
J. P. Hulley, Inf.	C. H. Barth, jr., CE
S. W. Smithers, QMC	R. B. Oxrieder, CE
Ralph A. Koch, FD	G. E. Galloway, CE
L. F. Wells, jr., GSC	H. G. Miller, SC
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R. T. Hames, Inf.	W. L. Ritchie, AC
V. R. Miller, Inf.	A. H. Burton, CE
J. S. Stowell, AC	Bruce C. Clarke, CE
G. E. Elliott, OD	Carl W. Meyer, CE
W. W. Cornog, jr., Inf.	David H. Tulley, CE
Demas T. Craw, AC	W. G. Bryte, jr., AC
Henry I. Kiel, Inf.	W. N. Underwood, CE
D. H. Hundley, Inf.	Miles M. Dawson, CE
W. W. Lloyd, Inf.	C. P. Nicholas, FA
Jacob R. Moon, Inf.	R. E. Randall, AC
T. H. Allen, Inf.	C. W. Holcomb, CAC
R. R. Robins, GSC	A. Hopkins, CAC
P. Sather, jr., FA	B. C. Fowlkes, jr., CE
R. G. Thomas, jr., Inf.	J. W. Huyssoon, JAGD
R. P. Eaton, AGD	F. G. Fraser, FD
N. M. Brinson, Inf.	W. H. Nutter, Cav.
Jean D. Scott, Inf.	Oscar C. Maier, SC
Ovid O. Wilson, Inf.	R. A. Lincoln, CE
Martin F. Haas, GSC	A. S. Newman, GSC
R. R. Hendrix, CAC	E. V. Holmes, FA
Glenn Newman, CAC	Wiley T. Moore, OD
W. G. Devens, OD	Ronald M. Shaw, Cav.
C. E. Shepherd, CAC	C. S. Babcock, Cav.
W. W. Holler, OD	Alvin T. Bowers, CAC
D. J. Martin, OD	W. H. Bigelow, Inf.
Malin Craig, jr., FA	John F. Gamber, CAC
F. J. French, CAC	Ernest A. Barlow, Inf.
S. H. Morrow, CAC	

J. L. Chamberlain, jr., FA	G. Ordway, jr., Inf.
	Ira K. Evans, GSC
F. J. Hierholzer, FA	Earl W. Barnse, AC
C. F. Tischbein, CAC	S. A. Dickson, GSC
John S. Fisher, QMC	John L. Lewis, FA
Charles P. Cabell, AC	John W. Davis, CAC
Milo H. Matteson, Cav.	W. O'C. Heacock, Cav.
William J. Carne, Inf.	E. B. Kearns, jr., QMC
John S. Henn, CAC	R. Van Brunt, GSC
H. R. Westphalinger, GSC	George P. Lynch, Inf.
	J. F. Holland, Inf.
R. C. Conder, FA	J. P. Kidwell, Inf.
Arthur Bliss, FA	T. E. Smyth, Inf.
W. H. Wood, Cav.	W. N. Damas, Inf.
John W. Black, FA	C. A. Black, Inf.
A. B. Devereaux, FA	R. T. Finn, FA
Paul M. Seleen, OD	J. P. Cleland, GSC
W. G. Bennett, FA	J. L. De Pew, Cav.
C. P. Bradley, AC	J. R. McGinness, Inf.
H. M. Cole, FA	W. G. Stephenson, Inf.
G. W. West, Cav.	G. B. Peploe, Inf.
B. P. Purdue, Inf.	Samuel S. Lamb, SC
G. A. Grayeb, FA	Curtis D. Renfro, Inf.
H. Y. Grubbs, FA	C. H. Caldwell, GSC
W. A. Fuller, Cav.	J. B. Daugherty, QMC
R. E. Tibbetts, Inf.	Albert A. Horner, Inf.
E. L. Johnson, FA	T. L. Dunn, Inf.
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	J. K. De Armond, AC
J. W. Mosteller, jr., CWS	S. M. Lansing, Inf.
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	L. D. Frederick, AC
L. F. Kengla, jr., Inf.	James G. Pratt, AC
Robert E. Burns, SC	M. M. Murphy, AC
John A. Hall, JAGD	Lee Q. Wasser, AC
D. J. Bailey, CAC	B. T. Starkey, AC
J. M. Willems, FA	P. W. Thompson, FA
J. C. A. Denniston, AC	C. McC. Virtue, Inf.
John F. Bird, FA	C. H. Valentine, Cav.
H. B. Margeson, Inf.	J. H. Baumann, FA
C. F. Burbach, FA	G. V. Holloman, AC
R. M. Barton, QMC	G. H. Dietz, QMC
W. L. Burbank, GSC	D. H. Smith, CAC
E. G. Martin, CAC	L. G. Causey, AGD
W. B. Griffith, jr., Inf.	John Meade, FA
J. H. McCormick, AC	Glenn O. Barcus, AC
W. N. Gillmore, FA	W. A. Weddell, CAC
H. W. Ketchum, Cav.	John R. Jeter, Inf.
M. G. Crombez, Inf.	T. A. Seely, Inf.
M. T. Hankins, CWS	G. A. Chester, CAC
John W. Gaddis, Inf.	James T. Dawson, FA
W. E. Pheris, QMC	W. W. O'Connor, Inf.
A. A. Dobak, QMC	E. C. Franklin, OD
John H. Bennett, Inf.	W. F. Neithamer, CAC
Wayne C. Smith, GSC	

Warrant Officers

Chief WO Orrin D. Miller, retired, 30 April, 64 yrs. of age, rank of Lt. Col.

Chief WO James A. Black, from Presidio of San Francisco, Calif., to fin. off., USA, San Francisco, Calif.

Chief WO Thomas A. Firmes, retired, 30 April, 42 yrs. of service, rank of Capt.

Retirement of Enlisted Men

Following enlisted men retired, 31 Jan:

M. Sgt. Sterling L. Smith, Hq. Co., 4th Engr. Bn.

M. Sgt. Frank Akin, Hq. and Service Co., 46th Engr. Rgt.

Orders to Reserves

Following off., to sta. ind.: Lt. Col. Darryl F. Zanuck, Sig., 7 Jan., to Off., CSO, Wash., D. C.; Lt. Col. Lee De Cady, Med., 10 Jan., to 21st Gen. Hosp., Ft. Benning, Ga.; Maj. William C. Schmidt, Engr., 21 Jan., to Port of Embarkation, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Maj. James B. McClane, Cav., 21 Jan., to Gen. Depot, Richmond, Va.; Maj. Arthur C. Goebel, Spec., 21 Jan., to Off., C. of AC, Wash., D. C.; Maj. Albert McCullough, Inf., 21 Jan., to Gen. Depot, Richmond, Va.; Maj. William W. Greiner, Engr., 21 Jan., to Off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.; Maj. Odell R. Cunneen, Inf., 21 Jan., to Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; Maj. Michael M. Mendlow, QM, 21 Jan., to asst. QM, 3rd Air Force, Orlando, Fla.; Maj. William C. Hubbard, AUS, 21 Jan., to Regional Information Cen., 1st Interceptor Comd., Boston, Mass.; Maj. William T. Sing, AUS, 21 Jan., to Eastern AC Procurement Dist., New York, N. Y.; Maj. Thomas R. Vague, Inf., 21 Jan., to Wright Fld., O.; Capt. Felix B. Streyckmans, Inf., 21 Jan., to CW Board, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; Capt. William L. Hagman, jr., Inf., 21 Jan., to Port of Embarkation, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Capt. Joseph C. Berger, Inf., 14 Jan., to Western AC Procurement Dist., Santa Monica, Calif.; Capt. Day Bedenbaugh, Ch., 21 Jan., to Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.; Capt. Lane W. O'Brien, Dent., 10 Jan., to 21st Gen. Hosp., Ft. Benning, Ga.; Capt. Alonzo H. Alcott, QM, 21 Jan., to Tyndall Fld., Panama City, Fla.; Capt. Clarke M. Forcey, Med., 8 Jan., to 52d Evacuation Hosp., Ft. Custer, Mich.; Capt. Bruce S. Eytinge, AUS, 21 Jan., to Air Depot, Middletown, Pa.; Capt. Charles M. A. Buhl, Ord., 10 Jan., to Off., C. of O., Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Norman F. Vandervoort, CW, 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Samuel R. Bridges, jr., QM, 21 Jan., General Depot, Seattle, Wash.; 1st Lt. Milburn J. Broussard, Ch., 21 Jan., Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. McClellan, Ala.; 1st Lt. Francis J. Reilly, Ch., 21 Jan., Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. McClellan, Ala.; 2nd Lt., Howard M. Bixby, Engr., 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt., John G. Schmid, jr., Inf., 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen, Md.; 2nd Lt. George Grow, jr., Engr., 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 1st Lt. William J. Long, QM, 21 Jan., Off. the MG., Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt., Harry F. Hill, QM, 21 Jan., Gen. Depot, San Francisco, Calif.; 1st Lt. Joel H. Cowdrey, FA, 21 Jan., Wright Fld., O.; 1st Lt. Durand H. Bonner, Ch., AUS, 21 Jan., Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. McClellan, Ala., 1st Lt. James A. Clement, Ch., AUS, 21 Jan., to Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. McClellan, Ala.; 2nd Lt. Elmer McC. Simmons, Ord., 14 Jan., Westover Fld., Chicopee Falls, Mass.; 2nd Lt. Asa B. Lee, jr., QM, 21 Jan., QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. Keith R. Hughet, FA, 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. George B. Hightower, Cav., 21 Jan., Wright Fld., O.; 1st Lt. Russell L. Zickler, Cav., 21 Jan., Wright Fld., O.; 1st Lt. Edward G. Miller, CA, 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Charles J. Hardister, QM, 21 Jan., to Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; 1st Lt. Robert Taylor, Inf., 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 1st Lt. Berman Hexter, QM, 21 Jan., QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. Thomas D. Flocco, QM, 21 Jan., Holabird QM Depot, Baltimore, Md.; 2nd Lt. Norman T. Thomas, jr., Ord., 21 Jan., Armory Springfield, Mass.; 1st Lt. Walter E. Marston, QM, 21 Jan., QM Depot, Boston, Mass.; 2nd Lt., Paul R. Watson, Engr., 21 Jan., Engr. Procurement Dis., Pittsburgh, Pa.; 1st Lt. William A. Furman, jr., Cav., 12 Jan., Off. of Ord., Wash., D. C.; 1st Lt. Robert J. Cook, Med., 10 Jan., 21st Gen. Hosp., Ft. Benning, Ga.; 1st Lt. Russell J. Crider, Med., 10 Jan., 21st Gen. Hosp., Ft. Benning, Ga.; 1st Lt. Edgar H. Keys, Med., 10 Jan., 21st Gen. Hosp., Ft. Benning, Ga.; 1st Lt. Henry Schwarz II, Med., 10 Jan., 21st Gen. Hosp., Ft. Benning, Ga.; 1st Lt. James M. Rose, Dent., 10 Jan., 21st Gen. Hosp., Ft. Benning, Ga.; 1st Lt. Harry L. Kurk, MA, 10 Jan., 21st Gen. Hosp., Ft. Benning, Ga.; 2nd Lt. Hyman M. Marcus, QM, 21 Jan., QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.; 2nd Lt. Raymond H. Kraft, AUS, 21 Jan., Scott Fld., Ill.; 2nd Lt. William C. Keefe, QM, 21 Jan., Gen. Depot, New Orleans, La.; 2nd Lt. Israel L. Hoffman, QM, 21 Jan., QM Depot, Philadelphia, Pa.; 1st Lt. Herbert B. Adams, Cav., 21 Jan., Wright Fld., O.; 2nd Lt. Julio Zumeta, Inf., 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Marvin A. Saxton, QM, 21 Jan., Gen. Depot, San Francisco, Calif.; 2nd Lt. James A. Westbrook, Inf., 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Charles O. Shiver, Cav., 21 Jan., Wright Fld., O.; 2nd Lt. Adam S. Trowbridge, Inf., 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Leon P. Woodall, Inf., 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 1st Lt. David Kerr, Med., 10 Jan., 21st Gen. Hosp., Ft. Benning, Ga.; 2nd Lt. Malcolm B. Severance, CW, 21 Jan., CW Procurement Dis., Boston, Mass.; 2nd Lt. Walter B. Rust, QM, 21 Jan., QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. Richard H. Burton, Inf., 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 1st Lt. Newton R. Brungart, Inf., 21 Jan., Off. C. of Inf., Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Harley A. Clouse, Engr., 28 Jan., Air Depot, Rome, N. Y.; 2nd Lt. John A. Ouzts, QM, 21 Jan., QM Rep. Tr. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.; 2nd Lt. Charles A. Graffam, Inf., 12 Jan., Off. CSO, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Courtland V. Guerin, jr., Inf., 27 Jan., SC School, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.; 2nd Lt. George A. Collins, Engr., 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Philip W. Smith, jr., FA, 21 Jan., Ord Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. John E. Earman, Inf., 21 Jan., Off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Raymond C. Tylander, FA, 1 Feb., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 1st Lt. Arthur S. Randak, FA, 2 Feb., off., C. of CWS, Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. Fred J. Hoppe, Engr.-Res., 21 Jan., 648th Engr. Bn., Camp Claiborne, La.; 1st Lt. Simon Kinsman, CW, 1 Feb., CW Procurement Dist., San Francisco, Calif.; 1st Lt. Robert Suggs, Sig., 11 Jan., off., C. of S., Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. John V. Shirer, CW, 21 Jan., Edgewood Arsenal, Md.; 2nd Lt. Nathaniel R. Wenrich, Inf., 21 Jan., San Francisco Port of Embarkation, Ft. Mason, Calif.; 2nd Lt. Herbert L. Karsch, Engr., 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. John W. Bolt, jr., 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 2nd Lt. Heyward H. McKinney, 21 Jan., Ord. Tr. Cen., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; 1st Lt. Ward C. Dabney, jr., Cav., 21 Jan., Wright Fld., O.; 1st Lt. Gilbert Nagel, Cav., 21 Jan., Field Hq. Perishable Subsistence Section, 1425 South Racine Ave., Chicago, Ill.; 2nd Lt. Charles H. Kloppenburg, Air, 12 Jan., Corps Area Det., Sixth Corps Area, Chicago, Ill.

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SERVICE SOCIAL NEWS

MRS. Luther Sheldon, jr., wife of Captain Sheldon of the Navy Medical Corps, was hostess at a delightful tea Tuesday afternoon in the big home of the Soldiers, Sailors and Marines Club in Washington. Mrs. Sheldon is a member of the executive committee of the club.

The cards read "In honor of the Newspaper Women's Club" of which Mrs. Sheldon is an associate member, as is aptly fitting for the daughter of Mr. Theodore Noyes, editor of the *Evening Star*. Nevertheless there were more Service women seen at this agreeable gathering than feminine scribes, Mrs. Sheldon having gathered about her a galaxy of the top-ranking women of the group.

Mrs. Stinson and Mrs. Knox, wives of the Secretaries of War and Navy, were early arrivals. Mrs. George Marshall, wife of the Chief of Staff, sat behind the tea urn, looking charming with an adorable twist of velvet on her head, in what might be called a pastel shade of flamingo pink, which contrasted beautifully with the rich tones of her furs. Mrs. Marshall brought with her the popular wife of the Chief of Naval Operations, Mrs. Harold R. Stark, who had attended a meeting at General Marshall's quarters at Fort Myer, the ladies having some service business to discuss earlier. With her black gown enlivened by a yoke of cream colored chiffon encrusted with paillettes, Mrs. Stark wore a trig little turban edged about with a fluted pinked ruche of taffeta.

Mrs. James Forrestal, wife of the Under Secretary of the Navy, was an arresting figure in an ensemble of black, with a chapeau that was really a head dress, the folds of the fabric laid flat above the forehead and held in place by diamond clips on either side and then falling away in back in a snood-like drapery. Earrings and corsage-clip all in floral designs in diamonds accented the all black costume of this handsome young matron.

Mrs. Robert Patterson, wife of the Under Secretary of War, a member of the executive committee of the Soldiers and Sailors Club, came late to the party having been immersed in an important project of the moment, namely the establishing of a committee of air wardens for Georgetown, the section where she and the Secretary make their home. Later she also hopes to establish a Service group for this war-time activity.

Mrs. Arthur MacArthur, sister-in-law of Gen. Douglas MacArthur, was of course surrounded by the guests present, and Mrs. Edward E. Gann, president of the League of Republican Women, with Mrs. S. W. Dempsey, wife of the former New York Congressman, active supporters of the club, also were guests who lingered and glimpsed in the hospitable rooms were Mrs. Walter Woodson, Mrs. Ross T. McIntire, Mrs. William Bryden, Mrs. Royal T. Ingersoll, Mrs. Ray Spear, Mrs. H. H. Arnold, Mrs. John Winslow, Mrs. Walter Baker, Mrs. H. E. Rosecrans, Mrs. Ben Moreell, Mrs. Virgil Petersen, Mrs. McCook Knox, Mrs. McCeney Werlich, Mrs. Kindelberger Kirby, and Mrs. Rudolph Max Kauffmann, who relieved Mrs. Marshall at the tea table.

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Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, wife of the late President, with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, jr., Mrs. Francis Warren Pershing, Mrs. William J. Warburton, and Mrs. Philip A. Carroll of New York and Doureghan Manor, Carroll Co., Maryland, are some of the patronesses for the First Reserve Aero Squadron dinner dance to be given tonight in the garden of the Ambassador in New York for the benefit of the Soldiers and Sailors Club of New York. Mrs. Francis Rogers is the founder and vice president of the club, Col. William M. Chanburne is president of the club, and Col. E. Garnsey Bromwell is president of the First Aero Squadron Association, which is sponsoring the benefit.

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Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Robert Danford, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Virgil Petersen, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Sherman Miles, Rear Adm. and Mrs. John T. Towers, Mrs. George Pettengill, Brig. Gen. T. Bentley Mott, Maj. Gen. Conger Pratt, Col. Richard Wood, Maj. Winant Johnson, Col. and Mrs. Raymond Lee, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Lorenzo Gasser, Field Marshal Sir John Dill, British Military Attache and Mrs. Rex Benson were some of the guests at a recent dinner party given by Mrs. Lionel Atwill at the 1925 F Street Club.

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Mrs. Bell, widow of Adm. William Hemphill Bell, has closed her house in Chevy Chase, Md., and has moved to the Brighton Hotel on California Street.

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Mrs. Hugh Raynor Rimmer and her daughter, Susan Margarett, are guests of her mother, Mrs. M. T. Rothacker, 9 Normandy Lane, Manhasset, Long Island. Mrs. Rimmer is the wife of Lt. (jg) Rimmer.

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Mrs. James Forrestal was in New York yesterday to attend the Baer-Louis fight, Joe Louis having promised all his profits and gate receipts for the benefit of the Navy Relief Society. Mrs. Forrestal was hostess at an informal little dinner before the fight, among her guests being Col. Donovan and Mr. Henry Luce, editor of *Time* and *Fortune*.

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The Washington Chapter, Society, Daughters, U. S. Army, entertained with a tea at the Army and Navy Town Club on Friday, 9 Jan. at 4 P. M. in honor of the newly elected national and chapter officers and for the benefit of the Chapter Emergency Fund.

The newly elected national officers are: President: Mrs. Benj. B. Sewell; 1st Vice President: Miss F. Elizabeth Wilcox; Secretary: Miss Sallie Ovenshine.

The newly elected chapter officers are: President: Mrs. Albert C. Wedemeyer; Vice President: Miss Nancy Hawkins; Treasurer: Miss Virginia Pfeil.

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Mrs. Hubert E. Paddock, Regent of the Army and Navy Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, has announced that Mrs. G. L. H. Brosseau, a former President-General of the Daughters of the American Revolution, will address the Chapter at a meeting Monday, 12 Jan. at the Army and Navy Club in this city. The subject of the lecture will be "Make Way for Tomorrow."

Mrs. Brosseau is making a special trip from New York for the occasion, and is planning to be present at the luncheon for members and guests before the meeting.

The Army and Navy Chapter is taking an active part in the American Red Cross "War Fund Campaign" drive. Fifteen members have volunteered to man a booth at the Dupont branch of the Riggs National Bank. The Chapter will be cerdited with the proceeds.

The entire membership has been contacted, and those residing outside of Washington are requested to mail contributions of any denomination to the Chapter's Chairman of Red Cross—Mrs. Cyrus Q. Shelton, 5516 30th Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

MISS MARGARET B. HUSSON, whose engagement to Lt. Joseph Scranton Tate II, son of Lt. Col. Joseph Scranton Tate, of Ft. Bragg, N. C., and Mrs. Tate, has been announced by her parents. Mr. and Mrs. William Moragne Husson, of New York and St. Augustine, Fla.

Weddings and Engagements

LT. Col. and Mrs. Paul Kellam announce the marriage of their daughter, Frances La Merle, to Lt. Robert Anthony O'Brien, jr., First Armored Division, Ft. Knox, Ky.

The wedding was solemnized on Thursday, 1 Jan., in the post chapel at Ft. McPherson, Ga. The Rev. W. A. McGuire of the Sacred Heart Rectory, performed the impressive ceremony in the presence of relatives and a limited number of friends.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was lovely in her wedding dress of defense blue wool. She wore brown accessores and a corsage of Rubrum lilies. Her only ornament was a platinum and diamond bracelet, a gift of the bridegroom. This bracelet had been a gift of the groom's father to his bride on their wedding day.

Mrs. William L. Wells of Ft. Knox, Ky., sister of the bride, was matron of honor and the only attendant.

Lt. Thomas W. Hoban of Ft. Knox, served as Lieutenant O'Brien's best man.

Miss Joan Hyatt, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. J. O. Hyatt, rendered the bridal music.

After a short wedding trip, Lieutenant and Mrs. O'Brien will be at home at Ft. Knox, Ky., where Lieutenant O'Brien is stationed.

The bride attended Lindenwood College, St. Charles, Mo., and the University of Kentucky. Lieutenant O'Brien is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. O'Brien, sr., of Memphis, Tenn. He is a graduate of the United States Military Academy, class of 1940.

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Col. and Mrs. Clare H. Armstrong of West Point, announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Anne Armstrong, to Cadet Richard L. Hennessy, son of Col. and Mrs. Harold P. Hennessy, of Ft. Amador, Panama, Canal Zone. Miss Armstrong was a student at the California School of Fine Arts, San Francisco, Calif., the George Washington University and Corcoran Art School of Washington, D. C. and Katherine Gibbs of New York. Cadet Hennessy was a student at Millard's of Wash., D. C. and he will graduate from the Military Academy in June. The wedding will take place after graduation.

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Lt. Col. Frank G. Marchman, USA, and Mrs. Marchman of Camp Stewart, Ga., announce the engagement of their daughter, Virginia Eve, to Lt. James Zachry Perry, ORC, son of Dr. and Mrs. Frank Perry of Montgomery, Ala.

Miss Marchman graduated from Ohio State University last June, is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority and Delta Phi Delta Honorary Fine Arts Sorority. She was president of the Boot and Saddle Club while at Ohio State and took an active part in equestrienne activities there. She won the Little International Cup in May 1941.

Lieutenant Perry is a graduate of Marion Military Institute, Marion, Alabama, attended the U. S. Naval Academy for two years, 1938-39. At present he is a senior in civil engineering at Auburn, Ala., where he hopes to receive his degree before being called to active duty. Lieutenant Perry is commander of the Sigma Nu Fraternity there, is a member of the Social Committee and a member of Chi Epsilon Honorary Civil Engineering Fraternity.

Colonel and Mrs. Marchman entertained at a Christmas party 23 Dec. in honor of Miss Marchman and Lieutenant Perry. The party was held at their home in Hinesville, Ga., and guests were asked to call from eight to ten.

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The wedding of Mrs. Bianca Harrington Allen and Lt. Frank Hardeman Brumby, jr., USN, took place at the home of the bride's parents, Capt. and Mrs. Donald Cameron Bingham, on Friday, 9 Jan., at five o'clock. After the simple ceremony, which was performed by Chaplain William N. Thomas of the U. S. Naval Academy, there was a small reception for the immediate families and a few young friends of the bride and groom. After 16 Jan. Lieutenant and Mrs. Brumby will be at home to their friends at 3141 South Glebe Road, Arlington, Va. Mrs. Brumby is the daughter of Mrs. Donald C. Bingham and the late Lt. Charles Anthony Harrington, USN, and granddaughter of the late Rear Adm. James Kelsy Cogswell and Mrs. Cogswell. Lieutenant Brumby is the son of Admiral and Mrs. F. H. Brumby of Norfolk, and on the maternal side is the great-great-grandson of the famous naval hero, Commodore Thomas Truxtun, who, as commander of the USS Constellation, distinguished himself in 1799 by defeating the French frigates L'Insurgente and La Vengeance. His great-uncle on his father's side was Lt. Thomas M. Brumby who was Admiral Dewey's aide at the Battle of Manila.

Among the out of town guests who attended the wedding were Admiral and Mrs. F. H. Brumby of Norfolk, Mrs. Talbot Truxton, Miss Norton Truxton, Mrs. Lyman Robertson and Mrs. Walke Truxton of Norfolk, Miss Mary Harris Brumby of Athens, Ga., Lt. and Mrs. Edward Dissette of Annapolis, Miss Mary Louisa Adams Clement of Edge Hill, Warrenton, Va., and Mr. Lispenard Phister of Boston, Mass., Admiral and Mrs. St. Clair Smith of Annapolis. Mrs. Joseph M. P. Wright, wife of Lt. Comdr. J. M. P. Wright, was matron of honor and Lt. Comdr. J. M. P. Wright was Lieutenant Brumby's best man.

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The marriage of Miss May Lindsay King, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Henry L. P. King, SC, to 2nd Lt. Warren De Kalb Duncan, Air-Res., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Duncan of El Dorado, Kans., took place Sunday, 5 Jan., at 4 o'clock at the Walter Reed Chapel in Washington, D. C.

The bride wore an ivory satin period gown and carried a prayer book surmounted by a spray of gardenias and a shower of sweet peas.

The bridesmaids were Mrs. Walter E. Lotz, jr., and Miss Jean Bevans, cousin of the bride. They wore champagne marquisette and carried bouquets of spring flowers. The maid-of-honor was Miss Marjorie Bevans, also a cousin of the bride, who wore gold taffeta and carried spring flowers. The best man was Lt. Col. James M. Bevans, Air Corps. The ceremony was performed by Chaplain Gamble. A reception followed at the Kennedy-Warren.

The bride attended the University of Kansas where she was a member of the Pi Beta Phi sorority. Lt. Duncan also attended the University of Kansas where he was a member of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity.

Lt. Duncan is now on duty at Kelly Field, Texas.

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WEST POINT, N. Y.
8 January 1942

The winter sport season starts on the 14th with the basketball team playing Lafayette College. The wrestling team will meet Cornell University at Ithaca, on the tenth of Jan. Boxing team will meet West Virginia on the 17th and the Plebe wrestling team will meet the Columbia Freshmen on the 17th.

The General Meeting of the Woman's Club is to be held on Tuesday at Cullum Hall and is sponsored by the Music Group. Guest artists will be Miss Stella Wrenn, soloist, and Mr. John Whipple, pianist, of New York.

Brig. Gen. Henry J. Reilly, ORC, lectured to officers and cadets of the post on Tuesday. His lecture was entitled, Military Lessons of the War to Date.

Mrs. William E. Morrison has organized a group of ladies of the garrison for the Red Cross Surgical Dressing Program. The group will work three afternoons a week.

Capt. Richard D. Meyer and Capt. Charles F. Tank, both of whom have been stationed here with the department of Mathematics, for the past year and a half, departed on Saturday for duty in Washington. Mrs. Meyer will visit her father, Mr. Alfred V. Breault of Grosse Ile, Mich., until she rejoins Captain Meyer in Washington. Capt. and Mrs. Tank are staying temporarily with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Woodley in Chevy Chase, Md.

Maj. and Mrs. Ray Bell have returned from a visit with Mrs. Bell's aunt, Mrs. Thomas Le Boutillier in Westbury, L. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Harper A. Brown of Wellesley College Faculty, and Miss Ester Demes of Pendle Hill, Pa., were the week-end guests of Maj. and Mrs. G. E. Keeler, jr.

The negro baritone Paul Robeson will be the artist presented by the Lecture Committee on Sunday night at the first concert of the season.

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ANNAPOLIS, MD.
6 January 1942

A luncheon at the Officers' Club yesterday in honor of Miss Mary Winslow of Washington, D. C., preceded the meeting of the Navy Women's Club at Carvel Hall. The guests were: Mrs. Charles L. Austin, club president; Mrs. Richard Wainwright, Mrs. Edward J. O'Keefe, Mrs. Paul H. Talbot, Mrs. Henry M. Robert, jr., Mrs. W. S. McClintic, Mrs. Raymond F. Frellsen, Mrs. Benton W. Decker, Mrs. E. L. Naylor, Mrs. E. H. Robertson, Mrs. Robt. M. Marshall, Mrs. Robt. L. Porter and Mrs. William F. Newton. Afterward Miss Winslow addressed the members of the club.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Robert Morris entertained on Sunday and the following Tuesday at an egg-nog party in their home at Wardour.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Harold E. Walker entertained New Year's Eve at their home, Roseholm, on the Severn River, for twenty guests. Supper was served at midnight. Lt. Commander and Mrs. Walker are now living in their home at 38 Southgate Ave.

Comdr. Leonard Doughty, who recently returned from the west coast, spent the week-end with his family in Annapolis. Commander Doughty is on duty in Washington.

Lt. Edward Spencer Addison, USN, has been visiting his parents, Capt. Edward Shanley Addison, USCG, and Mrs. Addison at their home "Ponemah" on South River.

Lt. Comdr. Carleton C. Champion joined Mrs. Champion and their children here for the holidays.

Among the guests who had reservations at the costume dance held at the Officers' Club on New Year's Eve were: Comdr. and Mrs. C. R. Johnson, and party of eight; Comdr. and Mrs. M. M. Dupre and five guests; Comdr. and Mrs. R. C. Needham and party of four; Comdr. and Mrs. L. C. Davis and party of eight; Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Vincent H. Godfrey and six guests; Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. J. C. Whiting and four guests; Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. R. M. Morris and party of ten; Lt. and Mrs. E. M. Jackson and party of nine; Lt. and Mrs. W. H. Groverman and party of five and Lt. and Mrs. W. E. Kaltner and party of four.

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FT. SAM HOUSTON, TEX.
5 January 1942

The New Year has come and the Old Year gone, and it was done in very pretty style at the Officers' Club where five hundred guests were served a delicious dinner, while an excellent orchestra played for the dancing. There were many no host or "Dutch Treat" parties among the club members, and a number of very charming private dinners also; among these was one given by Brig. Gen. J. C. H. Lee, honoring Maj. Gen. and Mrs. G. V. Strong, Cadet R. Strong, Col. and Mrs. Hurley, Mrs. Joe Taulbee, Mrs. Duncan Elliott, jr., Lt. and Mrs. Pierce, Misses Sue Anderson and Jodie Taulbee, Lts. Clark and Osgood.

The club has been the scene for many parties thru this holiday season, with the young college group as the incentive for most of them, as the officers of the garrison have had a sun-up to sun-down schedule, with an hour free at noon on New Year's Day, to join in the "greetings" at the reception and luncheon, given annually by the Officers' Mess to all members and families. This naturally is a very large affair, and a very happy one. The famous Ninth Infantry Silver punch bowl, was doing the honors in the line of "cheer" filled with egg-nogg. The luncheon was a buffet affair. Among those present were Gen. and Mrs. Krueger, Gen. and Mrs. Donovan, Gen. and Mrs. Strong, Gen. and Mrs. J. B. Anderson, Gen. and Mrs. Preston, Gen. J. C. H. Lee, Gen. and Mrs. Charlie Humphrey, Gen. and Mrs. E. H. Humphrey, Gen. and Mrs. Kelly Parsons, Col. and Mrs. C. K. Nulson, Col. and Mrs. Gottschalk, Col. and Mrs. Adam Richmond, Col. and Mrs. A. Gruenther, Col. and Mrs. Sam White, Col. and Mrs. Booton, Col. and Mrs. E. F. Graham, Gen. and Mrs. Lott, and Col. and Mrs. C. L. Clark, Col. and Mrs. George Dillman and many ohters, among the younger officers and ladies of this command.

Congratulations are being extended to Col. Alfred Gruenther, who has been appointed Chief-of-Staff and Col. John A. Klein, Third Army Staff, on their promotion.

Maj. and Mrs. E. C. Johnson and their daughters, who have recently been stationed at Ft. Sill are being welcomed back. They are at home at 128 East Elmview, San Antonio.

Col. and Mrs. G. D. Arrowsmith, and Mrs. DeLand Smith were among the guests of Col. and Mrs. J. C. Minus, at a most delightful New Year's dinner.

Col. William G. Weaver, has assumed command of the 38th Infantry, and he and Mrs. Weaver will live in the charming old Infantry commanders quarters.

A very lovely compliment to Mrs. R. C. McDonald, was a luncheon given by Mrs. John Dibble, when Mesdames Walter Krueger, C. B. Perkins, Robert Sherrard, Thomas Hurley, W. L. Hart, Brooks Grant, Joseph Bain, L. B. Miller, John Corbly and W. H. Moursand were also enjoying her hospitality. The table was laid with an aqua-blue cloth, and the flowers, yellow chrysanthemums and blue delphinium. Calonel and Mrs. McDonald are leaving Ft. Sam Houston for station in Baltimore, Md.

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NORFOLK, VA.
8 January 1942

With the exception of numerous parties for brides and debutantes, the holiday season was exceptionally quiet in Army and Navy circles in this area. Benefit affairs took the place of the usual gay Christmas parties and both the adult and Junior contingents are taking active parts in Red Cross and other defense work.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Charles B. Taylor entertained New Year's afternoon at a cocktail party given at their home near Churchland in honor of their debutante niece, Miss Elizabeth Anne Warner. The rooms were decorated with Christmas greens and red candles. The guests numbered about 100.

Capt. and Mrs. Clifford G. Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. William Rowe Hemingway were hosts Tuesday night at a cocktail party in honor of Miss Georgiana Martin Hinman, debutante daughter of Col. and Mrs. Dale Hinman. This party was given at the home of the Hemingway's on Graydon Avenue and preceded the dance at the Norfolk Yacht and Country Club. The guests who included the season's debutantes and their escorts numbered about fifty.

Comdr. and Mrs. Charles J. Gass and the officers of the Fifth Naval District Intelligence Department and their wives entertained Wednesday night at a dinner given in the Officers' Club, Naval Base. The guests numbered fifty.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Jesse Gearing Johnson entertained Tuesday afternoon at a cocktail party at their home, "Cardinal Point" Edgewater in honor of their debutante daughter, Miss Joan Johnson. Christmas decorations were used with lovely effect. The guests were received by Commander and Mrs. Johnson and their daughter. The guests numbered about seventy-five.

Lt. and Mrs. Albert L. Weldon were hosts on Friday at an eggnog party given at their home in Ocean View. The party was given in honor of Mrs. Weldon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Ballard and Benjamin Ballard, jr., and for Lieutenant Weldon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Weldon and son, F. E. Weldon of New York who were guests of their son and daughter for the holidays. The guests numbered twenty.

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CAMP POLK, LA.
5 January 1942

Capt. and Mrs. Charles E. Hartman, jr., and Capt. and Mrs. Carl W. Miller were hosts to a group of friends at the 54th FA Battalion Officers' Club from 4 to 6 on Saturday, 27 December.

Miss Elizabeth Andress of Vicksburg, Miss., was the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Lt. and Mrs. Dean B. Stone during the holidays. Lieutenant and Mrs. Stone entertained at dinner in Miss Andress' honor New Year's night.

Capt. and Mrs. Charles P. Westpheling gave a series of parties during Christmas week at their home in De Ridder. Guests at the first of the affairs on Saturday included Maj. and Mrs. Edw. Guthrie, Capt. and Mrs. Edward S. Berry, Capt. and Mrs. John N. Scoville, Capt. and Mrs. Hugh Carey, Capt. and Mrs. Noel Cox and Capt. Jack Reed. On Monday evening those invited were Lt. Col. and Mrs. John Smith, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Russell Smith, Maj. and Mrs. Harvey Matthews, Maj. and Mrs. Frederick J. Brown, Maj. and Mrs. Craig Alderman, Maj. and Mrs. J. H. Fike, Capt. and Mrs. A. L. Stegner, Capt. and Mrs. George Peer and Capt. and Mrs. Lenson Bethel.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Roderick R. Allen were at home to officers and ladies of the 32nd Armored Regiment on New Year's day at their home in Leesville.

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LONG BEACH, CALIF.
4 January 1942

Service set wives are banding together these days in work for the Red Cross in first aid classes and in new fields opening up for women, such as the motor corps. One of the latest additions to this group is Mrs. Ralph E. Spake, wife of Colonel Spake, United States Army Air Corps, commanding officer of Ferrying Command. She came from Dallas, Texas, and the family home has been established at 639 Carson Avenue.

Other recent arrivals, now making their home here, include Maj. and Mrs. LeRoy de Arce, Maj. and Mrs. Carlyle Nelson, Capt. and Mrs. Russell Munson, Lt. and Mrs. Frank E. Vrooman and Lt. and Mrs. Samuel C. Dunlap.

Mrs. Spake and other Army officers' wives plan to attend the Officers' Wives Club luncheon and bridge Tuesday in the Lanai Terrace Room of Army and Navy Club. Mrs. Carlos Bailey, hostess chairman, will be assisted by Mmes. J P. Forsander, Maurice O'Connor, Thomas Thorne, Donald Wengrovius, B. R. Hastings and H. B. Dodge.

Needy families were not overlooked at Christmas by that active group of Navy medical and dental officers' wives, known as the Wives of Navy Doctors' Club. Under the leadership of Mrs. John George Ziegler, chairman of relief work for the organization, 15 baskets were filled and distributed to families of Navy and Marine Corps men in Long Beach and San Pedro. Money was taken from the treasury to purchase groceries and clothing made by club members was placed where most needed, including 25 new dresses for little girls.

Assisting Mrs. Ziegler were Mmes. George Cottle, E. A. M. Gendreau, A. R. Alfred, Richard Redden, Ernest Hillyer, Francis Hertzog, E. A. M. Gendreau, jr., L. M. Desmond and A. M. McDonald. This group is doing Red Cross sewing each Thursday at one of the members homes.

Mrs. John Morrow, wife of Lt. Commander Morrow, has returned to Long Beach after an absence of six weeks or more. She made the trip from Honolulu via clipper to San Francisco. The two boys, John, jr., and C. Digby Morrow, are students at Charlotte Hall Military Academy in Maryland. Mrs. Morrow is making her home at La Hacienda Apartments and she had three friends in for New Year's Eve, Mmes. A. J. Smith, Richard Redden and Summer Cheever.

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CAMP WOLTERS, TEX.
4 January 1942

In spite of the war and the darkness it casts, Camp Wolters was a bee-hive of activity, socially. Many were away on leave for the holidays and many had guests at their homes. For both the commissioned and non-commissioned personnel there were series of social events.

Mrs. E. F. Reinhardt and her mother, Mrs. Bishop, have recently arrived here from Ft. Ord, Calif., to join Brig. Gen. E. F. Reinhardt. They are making their home on Morningside Drive in Mineral Wells. Mrs. Reinhardt was presented to the Army ladies at the Women's Club luncheon on 17 Dec. by Pres. Mrs. H. McLean.

The opening of the new Officers' Club at Camp Wolters took place on the night of 21 Dec. The club was cleverly decorated with Christmas colors and National standards. The Camp Wolters' orchestra furnished the music. Many were on hand for the occasion. Dances are to be held every Wednesday and Saturday nights.

Home for the holidays from schools in various sections of the country were: Ann Reinhardt, daughter of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. E. F. Reinhardt; Tom Freeman, son of Lt. Col. and Mrs. T. W. Freeman; Mary Jane Deahl, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. H. Deahl; and Margaret McKee, daughter of Lt. Col. nad Mrs. W. McKee.

Miss Betty Lou Harris, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. R. W. Harris, entertained a small group of friends at eggnog on Sunday evening, 28 Dec. at her home. She has had as her guest over the holidays Lt. J. P. Gibbons, of Ft. Benning, Ga.

Miss Jane Freeman, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. T. W. Freeman, had as a holiday guest, Lt. H. F. Hauser of Ft. Benning, Ga.

The New Year was welcomed in New Year's Eve, with a gala event at the new Officers' Club at Camp Wolters. The club was gaily decorated with streamers, balloons, and national standards. Tables placed around the dance floor and in the balcony for the various groups and parties, were ladened with fancy hats and noise-makers of all kinds. Music for dancing was furnished by the post orchestra. A delicious cold-buffet supper was served at midnight.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. E. F. Reinhardt were "at home" to a number of callers on New Year's Day in the morning at their home on Morningside Drive. Many callers came to exchange greetings and best wishes for the coming year with their host and hostess.

Members of the Army Women's Club met at the Officers' Club on Wednesday, 7 Jan. for luncheon. The main purpose of the meeting was the organization of a Red Cross Auxiliary to the local town unit. Mr. Chris O'Conner, field director for the Red Cross, spoke on the organizing of the Auxiliary, and Miss Augusta Closter talked on work of the Red Cross.

The officers and ladies of Camp Wolters gave a reception and dance for Brig. Gen. and Mrs. E. F. Reinhardt at the Officers' Club on Sunday afternoon, 4 Jan. Flags and bowls of spring flowers were used for an attractive background. In the receiving line were Lieutenant Shelton, Brigadier General and Mrs. Reinhardt, Major and Mrs. O'Conner, and Miss Ann Reinhardt. Supper and dancing followed the reception, with the music being furnished by the Camp Wolters orchestra.

Weddings and Engagements

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The engagement of Miss Jeanne Selman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer P. Selman, Summerville, Ga., and Lt. Bradford Lee Smith, Ft. Sill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph P. Smith, Mansfield, Ohio, was made to a number of friends Saturday, 20 Dec. when the bride-elect's sister, Mrs. D. T. Workizer and Captain Workizer, Ft. Sill, entertained on the post, Date of the approaching nuptials has not been set by the young couple.

Lieutenant Smith, on duty with the 349th Field Artillery, Ft. Sill, attended the University of Ohio at Columbus where he was a member of Phi Kappa Tau fraternity.

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Of outstanding interest to Southern society is the marriage of Miss Laura Adeline Demmer, daughter of Col. Charles C. Demmer, MC, USA and Mrs. Demmer to Lt. Donald A. Kersting, 6th Inf., USA, of Dayton, Ohio, which was solemnized Saturday afternoon, 3 Jan. at 4 o'clock in the post chapel at Ft. Jackson, S. C. The ceremony was performed by Chaplain Andrews, Station Hospital, Ft. Jackson.

The chapel was beautifully decorated for a full military wedding. At each side of the chancel were tall pedestals bearing while urns filled with white gladioli, chrysanthemums and roses, against a background of seven-branched floor candelabra holding white burning tapers. The reserved pews were marked by bouquets of white roses and white satin ribbon.

Lt. Eugene L. Kersting, Inf.-Res., of Dayton, Ohio, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. The bride entered the church with her father, Colonel Demmer, who gave her in marriage.

The groomsmen, all of the 6th Infantry, 1st Armored Division were Lt. Robert A. O'Brien, Lt. Gilbert W. Curl, Lt. Thomas A. Hoban, Lt. A. Thomas Rowe, Lt. James W. Southerland, Lt. George W. Pickett and Lt. Richard B. Bullock in full military uniform with their sidearms.

Miss "Thu" Dyer, daughter of Col. Frederick V. Dyer, Executive Officer, Ft. Jackson, was maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Miss "Chick" Sloan, daughter of Gen. John E. Sloan, 8th Division, Ft. Jackson, S. C. and Miss Cauldwell Smith.

The lovely bride was escorted by her father and wore duchess satin, styled in military fashion. The graceful skirt fell into a lengthy train and her long veil of illusion was caught to a cap made of tatting by the bride's paternal grandmother over 75 years ago. The cap was outlined with clusters of orange blossoms. She carried a cascade arrangement of bride roses and bouvardia.

Mrs. Charles C. Demmer, mother of the bride, was dressed in aqua chiffon with corsage of orchids. She wort a matching hat.

The bridegroom's mother chose a beautiful blue lace with V neckline topped with a soft velvet jacket. She wore a small matching hat and gloves. Her flowers were orchids.

Immediately after the ceremony the arch of sabers was formed at the altar for the wedding party to pass through.

The bride's parents entertained at a reception at the Hotel Wade Hampton, assembling the two families and intimate friends.

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Weddings and Engagements

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Lieutenant and Mrs. Kersting will reside in Louisville, Ky., Lieutenant Kersting being stationed at Ft. Knox, Ky., Sixth Infantry, First Armored Division.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Moragne Husson of New York and St. Augustine, Fla., announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Blanton to Lt. Joseph Scranton Tate, II, son of Lt. Col. Joseph Scranton Tate of Ft. Bragg, N. C., and Mrs. Sargent Tate of St. Augustine Beach, Fla.

Miss Husson is a graduate of Stuart Hall, Staunton, Va., and of the Woman's College of Furman University, Greenville, S. C. She made her debut at the family home, "Heartsease," Dutchess County, N. Y., in June, 1939.

Miss Husson is the granddaughter of Mrs. Thomas D. Evans of St. Augustine, Fla., and the late Mr. Evans. She is a niece of Col. Edward S. Evans of Detroit. Her maternal great great grandfather, John Moore, with his brother Stephen, were the owners of West Point before it became the United States Military Academy.

Lieutenant Tate was graduated from Kent School, Kent, Conn., and from West Point in June, 1941. During his years at West Point he played football, hockey and lacrosse, winning letters in both hockey and lacrosse as a varsity player. He is a grandson of Mrs. Frederick H. Sargent, of St. Augustine, Fla. and the late Colonel Sargent. His family has been prominent in military circles for several generations.

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There were two service weddings Saturday last in Scarsdale, N. Y., when Miss Constance Milbank, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watkinson Milbank, became the bride of Lt. Robert Case Dennison, USA, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Dennison of Montclair, N. J., and Miss Louise Read Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rutledge Davis of Scarsdale was married to Lt. Henry Parmlee Morse, USA, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond P. Morse of the same village. The Rev. Dr. George Hugh Smith, rector of the Hitchcock Memorial Church, performed the ceremony in both instances, though the marriage of Miss Milbank and Lieutenant Dennison was a home wedding, and Miss Davis' marriage to Lieutenant Morse took place in the church. Both were followed by home receptions.

Lieutenant Dennison is stationed with the 76th Coast Artillery, Anti-Aircraft Regiment in Philadelphia, where they will make their home.

Lieutenant Morse attended Cornell University and is now stationed with the 207th Coast Artillery at Camp Stewart, Ga., where he will take his bride, who is a graduate of the Masters School and is a member of the New York Junior League.

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Dan Cupid has been extremely busy in Annapolis it seems and a crop of engagements have budded in consequence. Comdr. and Mrs. Frederick Vallette McNair have announced the betrothal of their daughter, Anne Cary Randolph, to Ens. John Mason Rickabaugh, USN, son of Mr. Jack Rickabaugh and the late Mrs. Rickabaugh of Sacramento, Calif. No date is set for the wedding.

The engagement of Miss Caroline Lee Healy, daughter of Mrs. James Garland Healy of Annapolis, and Ensign Thomas Eugene Slemp, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Slemp of St. Louis, Mo., has been announced by Mrs. Healy, and Dr. and Mrs. Henry T. Sadler have announced the engagement of their daughter, Gwendolyn, to Lt. John H. Partridge, USMC, the news being made known at an eggnog party last week, by the names of the young persons being printed on the napkins. Lt. Partridge is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Partridge of Philadelphia and was graduated from the Naval Academy in the class of 1940, and is at present stationed at Quantico. The wedding will take place in the coming summer.

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Ens. Wallace E. Babbitt, USNR, a member of the May graduating class of Naval Reserves at the Academy, is the fiance of Miss Mary Ellen Norris, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Norris announced the engagement at a reception at their home at St. Margarets, Annapolis. The bride-to-be is a granddaughter of the late Dr. Zachariah Duvall Ridout and Mrs. Ridout of Anne Arundel County and of Mrs. John Byrd Norris 2nd, and the late Mr. Norris of Wardour and Baltimore. She is now studying at the University of Maryland. Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Babbitt of Rapid City, S. D., are the parents of Ensign Babbitt.

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Mrs. Ronald E. Fisher has announced the engagement of her daughter, Marian Dorsey, whose father is Lt. Col. Fisher, Cav., USA, to Mr. George Maudesley Maynard of Washington.

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From Hampton, Va., comes word of the engagement of Miss Helen Cox, daughter of Rear Adm. Ormand Lee Cox, USN, and Mrs. Cox, to Sgt. Daniel Coolidge Park, USA, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Robinette Park of Wayne, Pa., and Dr. A. E. Park of Rosemont, Pa., the wedding to take place 31 Jan., in Hampton Roads.

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A wedding of the New Year was that of Miss Estelle Rawls to Lt. Fred Thomas Bishopp, USMC, son of Dr. and Mrs. Fred Corry Bishopp, which took place at eight o'clock at St. Paul's Methodist Church in Kensington, Md. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Hooks Rawls and her father gave her hand in marriage. Miss Eurith Maynard of Baltimore, was maid of honor and bridesmaids were the Misses Jean Cissel, and Iris Rawls, sister of the bride. Lt. Thomas Coleman was best man and ushers were classmates from the University of Maryland. The Marine Base at New River, N. C., will be his station.

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Capt. Halford R. Greenlee, USN-Ret., and Mrs. Greenlee, of Garden City, L. I., N. Y., announce the engagement of their daughter Elizabeth Greenlee Patterson to Ens. Paul Bevans Oehmann, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Henry Oehmann of Washington, D. C.

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Mrs. Emden Davies announces the marriage of her daughter, Mrs. Rahel Davies Walker, to Lt. Col. Burdette Mase Fitch, USA, on Friday, 19 December at Alexandria, Va.

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Col. and Mrs. William A. Wickline announce the marriage of their daughter, Janice Ruth, to Mr. Arthur Loring Benson, on Friday, 19 December, at Berkeley, Calif.

The informal wedding was held at the home of the bride's parents at six-thirty o'clock and was followed by a supper for the wedding party. Only the families of the bride and groom were present.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and was unattended. The best man was Mr. Archibald B. Kennedy, son of Mrs. James M. Kennedy and the late General Kennedy.

Mrs. Benson was graduated from Mills College, where she was active in the dramatic department, with the class of 1941.

The future plans of the couple are uncertain, due to war conditions but for the present, they will reside in Oakland, Calif.

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The engagement has been announced of Frederick Homes Sargent Tate, son of Col. Joseph Scranton Tate, and Mrs. Sargent Tate, to Miss Roxanna Jean Holland, by her mother, Mrs. Donald E. Forker, and Mr. Forker.

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Miss Shirley Marion Fox, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Lester C. Fox of Brooklyn, and Mr. Harvey F. Johnson, jr., son of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Harvey F. Johnson of Chevy Chase, Md., were married at Christ Church in Brooklyn, N. Y., 21 Dec., the bride given in marriage by her father, and attended by Mrs. Donald Leary of Brooklyn, with Mr. Leary acting as best man. Mr. Johnson was graduated from Georgetown University and is now stationed at Camp Upton, N. Y., a member of the public relations staff. They are living at Brookhaven, L. I.

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Capt. George W. Calver, (MC), USN, and Mrs. Calver have announced the engagement of their daughter, Jessie Carleton to Lt. (jg) Paul Frederick Dickens, jr., (MC), USN, son of Lt. Comdr. Paul F. Dickens (MC), USN-Ret., and Mrs. Dickens of Washington.

Dr. Calver is the physician to Congress.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of the late Adm. Albert B. Willits and the late Dr. Thomas Calver. She graduated from George Washington University and is now doing graduate work at Mount Holyoke College. Lt. Dickens was graduated from George Washington Medical School and is now attending the Naval Medical School. The wedding is planned for the spring.

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Miss Janet Graham Grosset, daughter of Mrs. Fletcher Rockwell of Thrushwood, Riverside, Conn., was married to Lt. Dorsey Yearley, AC, USA, son of Mrs. McKee Barclay of Baltimore, and the late Mr. Alexander Yearley, 3rd, at noon, 3 Jan., at St. Luke's Episcopal Church in Atlanta, Ga. The ceremony, performed by the Rev. John Walker, was followed by a wedding breakfast for the members of the two families and a few close friends, at the Piedmont Driving Club.

Mr. A. Donald Grosset gave his sister's hand in marriage. Mrs. Albert Benjamin Diss, 2nd, the former Miss Alexandra Grosset, was matron of honor and Miss Alice Truesdale, maid of honor. Miss Barbara Grosset, a sister, and Miss Mallory Yearley, sister of the bridegroom, were bridesmaids. Mr. Alexander Yearley, 4th, was best man for his brother, and another brother, Mr. Church Yearley, and Messrs. Elwood Alexander and Peter Swindell were the ushers.

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Ens. John Herbert Allen, USN, son of Capt. A. Herbert Allen (MC), USN, and Mrs. Allen of Swinging Gate, Haverford, Pa., married Miss Miriam Andrew Lufburrow, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Bromwell Lufburrow of Plainfield, N. J., on Saturday, 3 Jan.

The ceremony took place at Holy Cross Episcopal Church, where the bride's parents were married, the rector, the Rev. H. Lewis Smith, officiating.

The bride was escorted by her father and attended by Miss Barbara L. Porter of Cambridge, Md., while Mr. Richard N. Ells, was best man. Messrs. John Philip Leidy of Philadelphia and Gregory Clement of Germantown, Pa., were groomsmen. Ensign Allen is a graduate of Princeton University, class of '38.

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Col. John H. Woodberry, OD, USA, and Mrs. Woodberry have announced the engagement of their daughter, Marguerite Wightman, to Lt. Nathan B. Chenault, jr., USA, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chenault of Wichita Falls, Kans.

Miss Woodberry, whose father is stationed at Raritan Arsenal, Metuchen, N. J., was graduated from the American University at Washington, D. C., and Lt. Chenault is an alumnus of the University of Oklahoma, and is also stationed at Raritan Arsenal.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Smith of Sturgis Road, Bronxville, N. Y., have announced the betrothal of their daughter, Marjorie R., to Ens. Francis B. Wadleton, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis B. Wadleton of Gard Avenue, Bronxville.

Miss Smith attended Ballard School, New York, and is a member of the Bronxville League for Service and the Bronxville Field Club. Ensign Wadleton attended Lawrenceville Academy and graduated from Yale in '36, and is a member of the Yale Club of New York.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Mary Bullard to Henry Harwood Rousseau, son of the late Rear Adm. Rousseau and Mrs. Harwood Rousseau of Washington, D. C., and Fairfield, Conn.

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Lt. Nelson Reide Jones, USA, and Miss Paula Elizabeth Mitchell, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Sloan Mitchell, and the late Mr. Paul Edgar Mitchell, were married Monday afternoon at St. Mark's Episcopal Church by the Rev. Robert J. Plumb, in Washington, with a reception following at the Dodge Hotel. The bride, gowned in white crepe, a street length gown with chartreuse accessories and a hat of chartreuse straw, was given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. Martin A. Sloan.

Mrs. Sloan acted as matron of honor. Mr. John F. Gifford was best man.

After a brief honeymoon in New York, the couple will go to Camp Gordon, Ga., where Lt. Jones is stationed. He is a graduate of the Maryland University, College of Engineering.

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Col. and Mrs. John G. Donovan of Bethesda, Md., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Hester Louise, to Mr. Philip Bowers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bowers of Washington, with the date for the wedding set for February.

Dependents' Allowances

In two decisions rendered this week, the Court of Claims held two Naval officers entitled to increased allowances on account of dependent mothers. In both cases the court reversed decisions of the General Accounting Office.

In the case of Lt. Comdr. Samuel H. White, USN, the court overruled the government's contention that Commander White had not provided a home for his mother, pointing out that her place of abode was left to her and her two sons in equal shares, and the son by giving up the house for her use was contributing his share of his estate in addition to substantial allotments.

The case of Lt. (jg) Stanley M. Barnes, USN, involved determination of dependency in fact.

Appeals for Seamen's Books

From embattled Hawaii comes the message that the Navy could well use additional contributions to libraries aboard ships and at isolated Naval outposts. The call for books for the enjoyment of Navy personnel is made by Dorothy Benyas, columinist for the Honolulu *Advertiser*. She cites the example of the parents of a radioman aboard one of the Pacific Fleet's light cruisers who makes a monthly contribution of one book to the Navy ship libraries, and suggests that others follow this example. "Contributing regularly to the ship's library is a fine gesture of gratitude," the columnist says.

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AUSTIN—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 2 Dec. 1941, to 1st Sgt. and Mrs. Cecil G. Austin, 8th Engrs., a son, Randolph Gordon Austin.

CAMPBELL — Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 26 Dec. 1941, to S/Sgt. and Mrs. Therman L. Campbell, Serv. Btry, 61st FA Bn, a son, Therman Leo Campbell, jr.

CANDLER — Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 22 Dec. 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. Harry W. Candler, a son, Edward Hoctor Candler.

COBURN—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 13 Dec., 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. George C. Coburn, a son, George Carlton Coburn, jr.

DAVIES—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 17 Dec. 1941, to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Thomas J. Davies, jr., Tr. G., 8th Cav., a daughter, Carol Ann Davies.

DICE—Born at Buxton Hospital, Newport News, Va., 31 Dec. 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. John B. F. Dice, 61st CA (AA), a daughter, Anne Fletcher Dice.

DONOVAN—Born on 31 Dec. 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. James Donovan, 83 Lakewood avenue, Cambridge, Mass., a son, grandson of Mrs. William Seabury, of North Weymouth, Mass., and of Col. and Mrs. A. E. Donovan, USA-Ret., Cambridge, Mass.

EVANS—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 18 Dec. 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Raymond Scott Evans, Btry B, 82nd FA, a son, Richard Scott Evans.

GUENTHER—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 1 Dec. 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Edgar T. Guenther, Spns. Tr., 1st Cav. Brig., a son, Edgar Theodore Guenther, jr.

HOOPER—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 3 Dec. 1941, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Vearl W. Hooper, Btry. A, 63rd CA, a son, Michael William Hooper.

HUDSON—Born at Quantico, Va., 17 Dec. 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. L. C. Hudson, a son.

ISHAM—Born at Cornwall Hospital, Cornwall, N. Y., 18 Dec. 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. Carl T. Isham, a son, Arthur Douglass Isham.

JACKSON—Born at Station Hospital, Ft. Benning, Ga., 29 Dec. 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. C. L. Jackson, a son, Charles Loyd Jackson II, grandson of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Braxton DeG. Butler, USA, and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Jackson, Hudson Falls, N. Y.

KENT—Born at Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Md., 5 Jan. 1942, to Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Edward Maurice Kent, USCG, a son, Stephen Maurice Kent.

McCAMISH — Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, 18 Dec. 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. John N. McCamish, a son, John Nathan McCamish, jr.

McWILLIAMS—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 1 Dec. 1941, to 1st Lt .and Mrs. Rhea A. McWilliams, Cav., a son, Damon Bradley McWilliams.

MOORE—Born at University Hospital, Augusta, Ga., 30 Dec. 1941, to 1st Sgt., and Mrs. J. D. Moore, 15th T. Sq., AC, a son, John David Moore.

MORTON—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, 20 Dec. 1941, to S/Sgt. and Mrs. John K. Morton, Hq. Tr., 16th QM, a son, John Kenneth Morton, jr.

O'CONNOR — Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 27 Dec. 1941 to 1st Lt. and Mrs. James F. O'Connor, Hq., 202nd CA, a daughter, Kathleen Ann O'Connor.

PARSHLEY — Born at Hartford Hospital, Hartford, Conn., 17 Dec. 1941, to Lt. and Mrs. Paul C. Parshley, USA, Ret., a daughter, Anne Elizabeth Parshley.

PLOGER—Born at Station Hospital, Ft. Lewis, Wash., 19 Dec. 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Robert R. Ploger, a son, Robert Ellis Ploger II.

STRATTON — Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 12 Dec., 1941, to M/Sgt. and Mrs. Frederick S. Stratton, a son, Robert Gregory Stratton.

SURLES—Born at Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C., 21 Dec. 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. A. D. Surles, jr., Cav., USA, a son, Thomas Bryden Surles, grandson of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. A. D. Surles, and Maj. Gen. and Mrs. William Bryden.

TORREY—Born at the Pensacola Hospital, Pensacola, Fla., 16 Dec. 1941, to Lt. and Mrs. Philip Huston Torrey, jr., a daughter, Barbara Morgan Torrey, granddaughter of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Philip Huston Torrey, USMC, of New River, N. C., and of Comdr. and Mrs. Dallas Charles Laisure, USN, of Long Beach, Calif.

WASSELL — Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 16 Dec. 1941, to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. James M. Wassell, 260th CA, a daughter, Lila Kay Wassell.

Married

ALLEN-LUFBURROW — Married at Holy Cross Episcopal Church, Plainfield, N. J., 2 Jan. 1942, Miss Miriam Andrew Lufburrow, to Ens. John Herbert Allen, USN, son of Capt. and Mrs. A. Herbert Allen, (MC), USN.

BENSON-WICKLINE—Married at Berkeley, Calif., 19 Dec. 1941, Miss Janice Ruth Wickline, daughter of Col. and Mrs. William A. Wickline, to Mr. Arthur Loring Benson.

BETTS-GILL — Married at the Episcopal Church of the Holy Communion, South Orange, N. J., 6 Jan. 1942, Miss Barbara Gair Gill, to Ens. Derick Whitefield Betts, USNR.

BICKFORD-DOWNING — Married at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Newport News, Va., Miss Betty Lee Downing, to Lt. Paul Rutherford Bickford, USA-Res.

BIRD-VANDERSLOOT — Married at St. Andrew's Church, New York, N. Y., 27 Dec. 1941, Miss Barbara Jeane Vandersloot, to Lt. Joseph Marston Bird, AC, USA.

BISHOPP-RAWLS—Married at St. Paul's Methodist Church, Kensington, Md., recently, Miss Estelle Dawls, to Lt. Fred Thomas Bishopp, USMC.

BLAIR-HARDING—Married at San Juan, P. R., 26 Dec. 1941, Miss Lucille Harding, to Lt. Thomas Wray Blair, son of Col. and Mrs. William R. Blair.

BRUMBY-ALLEN — Married at Chevy Chase, Md., 9 Jan. 1942, Mrs. Bianca Harrington Allen, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Donald Cameron Bingham, to Lt. Frank Hardeman Brumby, jr., USN, son of Admiral and Mrs. F. H. Brumby of Norfolk.

BUDGE-BOWEN—Married at Church of the Ascension, Denver, Colo., 3 Jan. 1941, Miss Alice Eleanor Bowen, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Arthur F. Bowen, to Mr. William Lennox Budge.

BUTTERS-WORLEY — Married at Our Lady of Victory Chapel, Naval Operating Base, Norfolk, Va., 27 Dec. 1941, Ens. Frank Leo Butters, USN, to Miss June Hansel Worley.

CARNEAL-BOYD — Married at Pensacola, Fla., 20 Dec. 1941, Miss Jean Jewell Boyd, to Lt. Wyatt B. Carneal, jr., USMC.

CONNELL-IVEY—Married at First Lutheran Church, Norfolk, Va., 26 Dec. 1941, Miss Mildred A. Ivey, to Lt. (jg) Clarence Raymond Connell, DC, USN.

COPPOCK-BURR—Married at St. Mark's Episcopal Church, San Antonio, Tex., 27 Dec. 1941, Miss Theodosia Burr, to Edwin Sedgwick Chittenden Coppock, son of Col. and Mrs. Edward R. Coppock, USA-Ret.

DASHEILL-YATES — Married at Trinity Episcopal Church, Miami, Fla., 28 Dec. 1941, Miss Nancy Charlotte Yates, to Ens. Edward Lawrence Dashiell, jr., USN.

DENHOLM-JENKINS—Married at Cristobal Union Church, Cristobal, C. Z., 15 Dec. 1941, Miss Edna Mae Jenkins, to Ens. William J. Denholm, jr., USNR.

DENNISON-MILBANK—Married at Scarsdale, N. Y., 3 Jan. 1942, Miss Constance Milbank, to Lt. Robert Case Dennison, USA.

DONALDSON-STRAYER—Married at Post Chapel, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 29 Dec. 1941, Miss Whitney Strayer, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Thorne Strayer, USA-Ret., to Capt. Malcolm Donaldson, son of Col. and Mrs. George C. Donaldson, Inf., USA.

DUCAN-KING — Married at Walter Reed Chapel, Washington, D. C., 5 January 1942, Miss Mary Lindsay King, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Henry L. P. King, SC, to 2nd Lt. Warren De Kalb Duncan, AC-Res.

FOUST-KING—Married at St. Alban's Church, El Paso, Tex., 11 Dec. 1941, Miss Ruth E. King, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. A. A. King, Ret., to Lt. Perry Elihu Foust, CA, USA.

FRAZEE-SWOPE—Married at Gettysburg, Pa., 27 Dec. 1941, Miss Betty Reinecke Swope, to Ens. Murray Bennett Frazee, USN.

GEORGE-HOWES—Married at Freemason Street Baptist Church, Norfolk, Va., 29 Dec. 1941, Miss Mary Senate Howes, to Ens. Joseph Marcus George, USA, son of US Senator and Mrs. Walter F. George.

GREGORY-CASSIDAY—Married at Alexandria, Va., recently, Miss Virginia Victoria Cassiday, to Lt. Jesse Manning Gregory.

HARLOE-SMITH—Married at Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Webster Groves, Mo., 1 Jan. 1942, Miss Marion Smith, to Lt. Jack Bartley Harloe, son of Col. and Mrs. M. Bartley Harloe.

HATTEN-ALVAREZ — Married at Post Chapel, Camp Paraiso, C. Z., 11 Dec. 1941, Miss Fanny A. Alvarez, to 1st Lt. Grover C. Hatten, Inf., USA.

JENSEN-CHRISTIE—Married at New Haven, Conn., 24 Dec., 1941, Miss Barbara Christie, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. R. W. Christie, USN, to Lt. Oscar T. Jensen, jr., USMCR.

JOHNSON-FOX—Married at Christ Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., 21 Dec. 1941, Miss Shirley Marion Fox, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Lester C. Fox, to Mr. Harvey F. Johnson, jr., son of Rear Adm. and Mrs. Harvey F. Johnson.

JONES-BILLUPS—Married at St. Bride's Episcopal Church, Norfolk, Va., 1 Jan. 1941, Miss Margaret Anne Billups, to Lt. (jg) Wesley Barrett Jones, DC, USN.

JONES-MITCHELL—Married at St. Marks Episcopal Church, Wash., D. C., 5 Jan. 1942, Miss Paula Elizabeth Mitchell, to Lt. Nelson Reide Jones, USA.

JUNG-CRAIG—Married at Baltimore, Md., 31 Dec. 1941, Miss Ana Ross Craig, to Ch. (Maj.) George P. Jung, USA.

KERSTING-DEMMER — Married at post chapel, Ft. Jackson, S. C., 3 Jan. 1942, Miss Laura Adeline Demmer, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Charles C. Demmer, MC, USA, to Lt. Donald A. Kersting, 6th Inf., USA.

LOWE-SHEPHERD—Married at Freemason Street Baptist Church, Norfolk, Va., 27 Dec. 1941, Miss Jane Porter Shepherd, to Lt. Henry Augustus Lowe, USA.

MORSE-DAVIS—Married at Scarsdale, N. Y., 3 Jan. 1942, Miss Louise Read Davis, to Lt. Henry Parmlee Morse, USA.

MURDOCK-HULBERT — Married at Tucson, Ariz., 5 Jan. 1942, Miss Catherine Chittenden Hulbert, to Lt. Lewis Champlin Murdock, AC, USA.

O'BRIEN-KELLAM—Married at post chapel, Ft. McPherson, Ga., 1 Jan. 1942, Miss Frances La Merle Kellam, to Lt. Robert Anthony O'Brien, jr., 1st Armored Division.

PARSONS-JOHNSON—Married at Waban, Mass., 27 Dec. 1941, Miss Cynthia Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Ames Johnson, to Lt. Albro L. Parsons, jr., CE, USA, son of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Albro L. Parsons, MC, USA.

REES-PRITCHETT—Married at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, San Diego, Calif., 14 Dec. 1941, Miss Anne Borden Pritchett, daughter of Col. and Mrs. William H. Pritchett, USMC-Ret., to Mr. William Sayre Rees, son of Dr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Rees, of San Diego.

SCHWAB-BUTT—Married at Tuxedo Park, N. Y., 27 Dec. 1941, Miss Madeleine F. Butt, to Lt. Virgil A. Schwab, AC, USA.

STODDARD - McKENNEY — Married at Christ Church by the Sea, C. Z., 11 Dec. 1941, Miss Jean McKenney, daughter of the late Col. and Mrs. McKenney, USA, to Mr. John C. Stoddard.

SWAIS-BALFOUR — Married at San Antonio, Tex., 27 Dec. 1941, Miss Claude Balfour daughter of Capt. Maxwell W. Balfour, USA-Ret., to Cadet John T. Swais, AC, USA.

WHITAKER-MILES—Married at Washington, D. C., 31 Dec. 1941, Miss Mary Catherine Miles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard M. Miles, of Clarksburg, Md., to Lt. Ernest Jeunet Whitaker, FA, USA, of Ft. Knox, Ky.

YEARLEY-GROSSET — Married at St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Atlanta, Ga., 3 Jan. 1942, Miss Janet Graham Grosset, to Lt. Dorsey Yearley, AC, USA.

YOUNG-FANGMYER — Married at Fort Wetherill, Newport, Conn., 31 Dec. 1941, Miss Mildred Fangmyer, to 2nd Lt. Donald V. Young.

Died

ADAMS—Died at the U. S. Naval Submarine Base, Coco Solo, C. Z., 27 Dec. 1941, Lt. Harry Adams, USN-Ret. (Active). He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Augusta Frances Adams, Naval Air Station, Coco Solo, C. Z.

ANCRUM—Died at Naval Hospital, Washington, D. C., 31 Dec. 1941, Lt. Col. Calhoun Ancrum, USMC-Ret. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Dixie B. Ancrum, a son, Calhoun Ancrum, jr., and a daughter, Mrs. William Whipple, jr., Ft. Belvoir, Va.

COLLIS—Died at New York, N. Y., 2 Jan. 1942, Lt. Col. Lloyd Collis. He is survived by his wife Mrs. Lloyd Collis.

DAVIS—Died at her home in Columbia, S. C., 26 Dec. 1941, Mrs. Henry C. Davis, widow of the late Col. Henry C. Davis, CAC. She is survived by her son, Col. Henry C. Davis, 65th CA(AA), Inglewood, Calif.

DOERR—Died near Army Air Base, Jackson, Miss., 21 Dec. 1941, 1st Lt. John Joseph Doerr, AC, AUS.

GEDDINGS—Died at his home in Chevy Chase, Md., 6 Jan. 1942, Lt. Col. Edward F. Geddings, USA-Ret. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth B. Geddings, 104 Raymond Street, Chevy Chase, Md.

GEROW—Died at Ft. Riley, Kans., 29 Dec. 1941, Lt. Col. Louis B. Gerow. He is survived by his wife, Margaret B. Gerow, two daughters, Joan, 11, and Janet, 8, and a son Lt. Ludwig Gerow, 96th QM Bn., Ft. Riley, Kans.

GOETHALS—Died at Boston, Mass., 31 Dec. 1941, Mrs. Effie Rodman Goethals, widow of Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals, USA. She is survived by her two sons, Col. George R. Goethals, USA, and Col. Thomas R. Goethals, USA, and four grandchildren.

GOSS—Died at New Orleans, La., 30 Dec. 1941, Lt. Col. Elmer David Goss, Inf., NGUS.

HAMILTON—Died at San Juan, P. R., 30 Dec. 1941, Lt. Col. Walter C. Hamilton, husband of Laurie B. Hamilton of Philadelphia, father of Mrs. Wesley T. Guest of Washington, D. C., and Mr. Robert W. Hamilton, of Philadelphia, Pa.

HANSON—Killed in action in the Philippine Islands, 13 Dec. 1941, 1st Lt. Robert Taylor Hanson, AC, AUS.

JEWELL—Died at Eisenberg Auto Court, N. Las Vegas, Nev., 29 Dec. 1941, Capt. Harry Burleigh Jewell, MAC-Res.

JOHNSON—Killed in action in the Philippine Islands, 13 Dec. 1941, 2nd Lt. Louis Albin Johnson, Air-Res.

KYSOR—Killed in action in the Philippine Islands, 29 Dec. 1941, 1st Lt. Benjamin Bennett Kysor, Med.-Res.

LANGHOLF—Killed in action, in the Philippine Islands, 10 Dec. 1941, 2nd Lt. Marston Dale Langholf, Inf.-Res.

LOEHRKE—Died near Skippertown, Ga., 26 Dec. 1941, 2nd Lt. John Edward Loehrke, Air-Res.

LUETZOW—Died near Blaine, Pa., 26 Dec. 1941, 2nd Lt. William Ebner Luetzow, Air-Res.

McDONNELL—Killed in plane crash, five miles east of Buckroe Beach, Va., 1 Jan. 1942, Ens. T. A. McDonnell, jr., USNR, son of Mr. Thomas A. McDonnell, sr., 118 Shefford St., Springfield, Mass.

MARCHBANKS — Died at Los Angeles, Calif., 22 Dec. 1941, Mrs. Callie Marchbanks, wife of Capt. V. H. Marchbanks, USA-Ret., and mother of 1st Lt. V. H. Marchbanks, jr., MC, and Mrs. Katie Cecil Marchbanks.

ORR—Died in airplane crash, New Hyde Park, L. I., 1 Jan. 1942, 2nd Lt. James J. Orr, USA.

RAY—Died in airplane crash, New Hyde Park, L. I., 1 Jan. 1942, Cadet Earle W. Ray.

REAGOR—Died at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 18 Dec. 1941, Celia Venora Reagor, wife of 1st Lt. Ralph D. Reagor, 8th Cav.

RICE—Died near Converse, Tex., 1 Jan. 1942, 2nd Lt. James Sylvester Rice, Air-Res.

ROBERTSON—Died near Masonboro, N. C., 27 Dec. 1941, 2nd Lt. Roy Robertson, Air-Res.

ROGERS—Died at Waco, Tex., on 31 Dec. 1941, Lucy Ford Rogers, widow of the late Robert Henry Rogers, mother of Miss Ruby Rogers, Lt. Col. Ford O. Rogers, USMC, and Roberta Rogers Hale, wife of Lt. Col. Robert A. Hale, USA, and grandmother of Robert Henry Rogers, 2nd.

RULON-MILLER—Died at Haverford, Pa., 28 Dec. 1941, 1st Lt. Edgar Felton Rulon-Miller, FA, NGUS.

SAMUELSON—Died at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Wash., D. C., 29 Dec. 1941, Maj. Leo I. Samuelson, USA-Ret.

SANER—Died near Army Air Base, Jackson, Miss., 21 Dec. 1941, 2nd Lt. Robert Antony Saner, Air-Res.

SCALES—Died near North Island, Coronado, Calif., 28 Dec. 1941, 2nd Lt. Allan Bridgeford Scales, Air-Res.

SCHIPPER—Killed in action in the Philippine Islands, 25 Dec. 1941, Capt. Henry Schipper, Inf.-Res.

SCHLESINGER—Died at the Naval Hospital, League Island, Pa., 26 Dec. 1941, Lt. William Frederick Schlesinger, USN-Ret. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Helen Siami Schlesinger, 616 South Eagle Road, Manoa, Delaware County, Pa.

SHIMEALL—Died near Army Air Base, Jackson, Miss., 21 Dec. 1941, 2nd Lt. Leslie Milton Shimeall, Air-Res.

TALBOT—Died at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 15 Dec. 1941, infant son of 1st Lt. and Mrs. George B. Talbot, 5th Cav.

VAN EEUWEN — Died in airplane crash, New Hyde Park, L. I., 1 Jan. 1942, 2nd Lt. Charles V. Van Eeuwen.

WHITE—Died at Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, Calif., 5 Jan. 1942, Mrs. Walter C. White, wife of Lt. Col. Walter C. White.

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Chemical Warfare School

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Tank School officers and petty officers of the Navy, were conducted. These courses ranged from a few days to three weeks in length. However, economy measures taken in 1933 necessitated drastic reduction in the number of students attending the different courses.

The faculty and staff in recent years has consisted of a General Officer, who is also Commanding Officer of Edgewood Arsenal, as Commandant; an Assistant Commandant, who has active control of the School; an Executive, a Secretary, and several instructors including representatives of the Cavalry, a Secretary, and several instructors including representatives of the Cavalry, Signal Corps, and Air Corps, as well as a Director of the Department of Naval Instruction.

With the expansion of the Army, many officers of the regular establishment were called to command and staff duties elsewhere, and reserve officers called to duty as instructors. The faculty now numbers over thirty officers. In addition, there is a school detachment of enlisted personnel of over one hundred, which assists in conducting the many field exercises given in conjunction with the courses.

The School is organized into three general Divisions. The first is the Instructional Division, which includes a Department of Technique, in charge of subcourses in chemical agents, weapons, and meteorology; a Department of Protection, in charge of subcourses in protection against chemical agents; a Department of Military Art, in charge of subcourses in chemical warfare tactics and training; a Department of Incendiaries, in charge of subcourses in fire defense; and the Department of Miscellaneous Subjects which has charge of subjects not properly included in other departments. Second is the Supply and Administration Division which is divided into the Administrative Section, the Supply Section, the Library and the Duplicating Section. The third is the Extension Course Division which prepares all the Chemical Warfare School extension course texts and subcourses.

In recent years the following courses have been given: Unit Gas Officers' Courses, Line and Staff Courses, Field Officers' Courses, Navy Courses, Basic Courses, Coast Guard Courses, and Noncommissioned Officers' Courses.

As a result of the expansion of the Army, the Chemical Warfare School found it necessary to revise its curriculum, which was made to include: Unit Gas Officers' Course (Aviation), for officers of Air Service Units; Unit Gas Officers' Course (Line), for officers of the various arms and services; Navy Spring and Fall Courses. All these courses are of four weeks' duration, so that thirteen courses for aviation and line officers are given annually. They are normally attended by about fifty captains and lieutenants who first get a brief course in the fundamentals of chemistry as a guide to further study of the various agents. They are then instructed in the technique of chemical weapons and munitions, in meteorology, and in the tactical employment of chemicals by the several arms as well as by the Chemical Warfare Service. A subcourse in chemical warfare training which prepares the student for duties as an instructor in gas defense is augmented by a subcourse in protection which covers the latest theories and methods of chemical defense. The theory of bombing and defense against incendiary and explosive bombs is also taught.

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Naval Enlisted Strength Bill

The House this week considered and passed legislation, S. 2149, authorizing increases in Navy and Marine Corps enlisted strength after discussing propriety of paying enlistment allowances to the sea services and denying them to the Army.

The bill passed increases emergency enlisted strength of the Navy from 300,000 to 500,000 men and boosts Marine strength from 60,000 to 104,000. The increases do not affect the present bases by which the number of commissioned officers is determined. In passing the bill, a similar House measure, H. R. 6306, was tabled.

Calendar of Legislation

ACTION ON LEGISLATION

H.R. 5822. State guard for Alaska. Signed by President.

S. 2063. Authorizing certain Army personnel to accept medals, etc., tendered by gov'ts of Western Hemisphere. Reported by Senate Military Committee.

S.J. Res. 109. Restoring rank of Brig. Gen. to late William Mitchell. Reported by Senate Military Committee.

S. 2094. Rank of Lt. Gen. for commandant of Marine Corps. Passed by Senate.

S. 1891. Uniform allowances for Army officers. Passed by Senate.

H.R. 5464. Transfer Navy, Marine Reserve enlistments to Regular Navy, Marines. House agrees to Senate amendments; to President.

S. 2153. Authorizing additional ship building and repair and ordnance facilities. Reported by Senate Naval Committee.

S. 2089. Transferring part of Croatan Nat'l Forest, N. C., to Navy Department for New River Marine Air Base. Reported by Senate Naval Committee.

S. 2095. Making fitted and not retain Navy and Marine officers on active duty eligible for further selection. Reported by Senate Naval Committee.

S. 2139. Insuring that Navy or Marine officer will always be in charge of department bureaus. Reported by Senate Naval Committee.

H.R. 5135. Appointing Capt. Porter M. Holdale, USMC, as senior lieutenant in Navy Medical Corps. Reported by Senate Naval Committee.

S. 1994. Empowering Navy or Marine officer boards to settle small damage claims arising from presence of U. S. forces in friendly foreign countries. Signed by President.

H.R. 5480. Continuing certain National Guard officers in grades in which inducted even though such grades were not authorized by Army tables of organization. Reported by House Military Committee.

S. 2149. Increasing enlisted strength of Navy and Marine Corps. Passed by House; to President.

Unified Command in SW Pacific

General Sir Archibald Wavell, British commander in India and Burma, was appointed this week to be Supreme Commander of all sea, land, and air forces of the United Nations in the South West Pacific Area.

General Wavell, who has selected the Dutch East Indies island of Java for his headquarters, will have as his deputy, Maj. Gen. George H. Brett, Chief of the Air Corps of the U. S. Army, (who has since been nominated to be a lieutenant general). General Sir Henry Pownall, commander at Singapore, will be General Wavell's chief of staff.

Admiral Thomas C. Hart, USN, commander-in-chief of the Asiatic Fleet of the U. S. Navy, will assume command of all naval forces in the South West Area, under General Wavell.

The official announcement as issued from the White House in Washington the afternoon of 3 Jan., read as follows:

"1. As a result of proposals put forward by the United States and British Chiefs of Staff, and of their recommendations to President Roosevelt and to the Prime Minister, Mr. Churchill, it is announced that, with the concurrence of the Netherlands Government and of the Dominion Governments concerned, a system of unified Command will be established in the South West Pacific Area.

"2. All the forces in this area, sea, land and air, will operate under one Supreme Commander. At the suggestion of the President, in which all concerned have agreed, General Sir A. Wavell has been appointed to this Command.

"3. Major-General George H. Brett, Chief of the Air Corps of the U. S. Army, will be appointed Deputy Supreme Commander. He is now in the Far East. Under the direction of General Wavell, Admiral Thomas C. Hart, U. S. Navy, will assume Command of all naval forces in the area. General Sir Henry Pownall will be Chief of Staff to General Wavell.

"4. General Wavell will assume his Command in the near future.

"5. At the same time, His Excellency Generallissimo Chiang Kai-Shek has accepted the Supreme Command over all land and air forces of the United Nations which are now or may in the future be operating in the Chinese theater, including initially such portions of Indo-China and Thailand as may become available to troops of the United Nations. United States and British representatives will serve on his joint headquarters planning staff."

On 6 Jan. it was reported, in press dispatches from Batavia, that General Wavell will exercise his command from a headquarters to be established on the island of Java, but whether which is at the west end of the Island or at Soerabaja, at the east end, apparently had not been decided. Between Java and Sumatra are the Sunda Straits, first entrance to the Indian ocean south of the Straits of Malacca and their guardian, Singapore.

At New Delhi, India, General Wavell held a press conference as a farewell to his Indian Command, at which he was quoted as saying:

"I would like to take this opportunity to convey to the people in the United States, Britain, her Dominions and her allies, how deeply sensible I am of the honor done me and the confidence reposed in me by their governments in appointing me supreme commander in the Southwest Pacific.

"I am fully conscious that it is a great responsibility which rests on me in a situation where a treacherous attack by Japan has given her forces an initial advantage.

"This is the advantage which the murderer, thief or cheat can always gain against the unsuspecting, ordinary and decent citizen.

"The situation may become worse until the tide turns, but turn it will with inexorable strength when the time comes."

Continuing, he said, "We must hold on with what we have until we can collect our forces for a return blow. The combined forces of the United States, China, the Netherlands Indies and Australia cannot fail, in the long run, to throw out the Japanese freebooters from the places they have temporarily seized."

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Following Capts., Med., 10 Jan., to 21st Gen. Hosp., Ft. Benning, Ga.: Eugene M. Bricker, Thomas H. Burford, Adolph H. Conrad, jr.; Harold Freedman, Stanley F. Hampton, Samuel P. Harbison, Robert W. Kelley, Bruce C. Martin, Joe M. Parker, John R. Powers, Henry G. Schwartz, Lawrence M. Shefts, John H. Wedig.

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2nd Lt. James L. Bledsoe, Air, orders revoked.

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Navy Reports From Hawaii

That "we are strengthening and perfecting our program for the defeat of the Japanese here and everywhere;" that "more than twenty Japanese planes" were shot down by anti-aircraft fire from Pacific Fleet ships in Pearl Harbor during the attack on 7 Dec."; and that a young Naval Academy ensign and three Reserve ensigns took a destroyer to sea during the attack at Pearl Harbor and accounted for four airplanes and possibly two submarines were facts included in reports from Honolulu and Pearl Harbor this week.

A cruiser captain was quoted by the fleet public relations officer as having told his crew shortly after the attack at Pearl Harbor that although the American and British Navies had suffered a hard blow at Pearl Harbor and in the sinking of the Prince of Wales and Repulse off Malaya, "we have not lost a single weapon which is now considered more important."

The captain listed the "more important" weapons as aircraft carriers, heavy cruisers, light forces and submarines. He said that these craft "would blaze the way in an offensive against the Japanese," and added that "in view of the recent activities—the damaging of a few of our battleships, the sinking of two British battleships, and the sinking of the enemy battleship Haruna and damaging of another—I think we can safely feel that the temporary loss does not affect us one iota."

Referring to the Japanese, the cruiser captain said, "If they should come back again—and I doubt very much that they will, although this is always possible—they will get what is in store for them." He explained that the fact that they are making attacks from the surface in daylight, "which action is against all practical procedure," shows the Japanese are now desperate.

In making the announcement that at least 20 planes were felled at Pearl Harbor and possible an additional 12 brought down, Navy officials emphasized that this figure does not include the planes shot down by Army and Navy planes and by Army anti-aircraft gunners. The 20 Japanese planes which were seen to fall, and the 12 others which were badly damaged and probably lost, all were victims of marksmanship by the fleet gunners, Navy officials pointed out.

Navy headquarters at Pearl Harbor said that in bringing down the planes, "in some instances where the men were unable to bring heavier weapons to bear against the enemy, they resorted to automatic rifles and even pistols."

The story of the four ensigns who put a 1,500 ton destroyer to sea under withering fire, related by the Academy ensign and passed by a Navy censor, states that immediately upon being notified that the "Utah has been torpedoed by Japanese aircraft," we sounded general quarters and manned our battle stations."

The 24-year-old officer related that, "I gave orders to prepare to get underway at once. One of the reserve officers took the bridge with me, another took the guns, and the third became damage control officer."

He continued, "As we moved downstream, we kept up a hot fire with our main battery and machine guns. Four planes engaged by our guns were seen to go down in smoke. Two planes that dived over us, trying to reach the battleships beyond got it from our M. G.'s (machine guns)."

In his report of the ship's activities, the young ensign expressed the belief that two submarines had been sunk by the crew of the destroyer. He had only words of praise for his crew and his fellow officers, who were later commended by the vessel's regular captain—a lieutenant commander.

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Army Nurse Corps

The report of Army Nurse Corps personnel changes during the month of December records the appointment of nine nurses, the transfer from Reserves to Regular Corps of 32, the station transfer of 82, the promotion to chief nurse of 52, the discharge of 20, the retirement of one, 2nd Lt. Lillian M. Munn, and the recall to active service of 2nd Lt. Edna Traeger, who had previously been retired. The report follows:

Appointments: To Camp Blanding, Fla., Maurine Hobby; to Hoff Gen. Hosp., Calif., Annabel R. L. Gould; to Ft. Monroe, Va., Sibyl Smith; to Ft. Riley, Kans., Ruth L. Cameron; to Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., Cornelia A. Caldwell, Charlotte N. Savoie; to Camp Wallace, Tex., Grace M. Sloan; to Camp Wolters, Tex., Alice Johnson; to Walter Reed Gen. Hosp., Washington, D. C., Rosalou J. Freeland.

Transfers from Reserve to Regular Corps: 2nd Lt. Betsy Bradford, Barksdale Field, La., 2nd Lt. Catherine E. Junk, 2nd Lt. Elizabeth E. Mettie, Ft. Belvoir, Va.; 2nd Lt. Mildred M. LaVelle, 2nd Lt. Kathryn McDonough, Ft. Benning, Ga.; 2nd Lt. Agnes C. Sokol, Billings Gen. Hosp., Ind.; 2nd Lt. Iola M. Robb, 2nd Lt. Beulah M. Russell, Chanute Field, Ill.; 2nd Lt. Lina J. Stratton, 2nd Lt. Elizabeth A. Vance, Camp Claiborne, La.; 2nd Lt. Esther R. Collins, Ft. Custer, Mich.; 2nd Lt. Jeannette Y. Kennelly, Camp Haan, Calif.; 2nd Lt. Cecilia E. Cuaylo, 2nd Lt. Roberta E. Fowler, 2nd Lt. Kathryn J. Kulig, 2nd Lt. Mary V. Wyatt, Ft. Jackson, S. C.; 2nd Lt. Marjorie S. Farrell, 2nd Lt. Virginia Piper, Jackson Air Base, Miss.; 2nd Lt. Vera W. Eberly, 2nd Lt. Charlotte R. Rodeman, 2nd Lt. Helen A. M. Schneider, Ft. Knox, Ky.; 2nd Lt. Georgette J. Miclette, MacDill Field, Fla.; 2nd Lt. Jessie Adams, Camp Roberts, Calif.; 2nd Lt. Irma M. Butler, Scott Field, Ill.; 2nd Lt. Mary Josephine McGee, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; 2nd Lt. Goldie A. Roberts, Camp Shelby, Miss.; 2nd Lt. Eleanor Rogers, Ft. Sill, Okla.; 2nd Lt. Catherine E. Duffy, Stark Gen. Hosp., S. C.; 2nd Lt. Ione Hawks, William Beaumont Gen. Hosp., 2nd Lt. Ethel B. Colahan, Walter Reed Gen. Hosp., Washington, D. C.; 2nd Lt. Margaret E. Connor, 2nd Lt. Mary C. Kickey, Walter Reed Gen. Hosp., Washington, D. C.

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Financial Digest

President Roosevelt, in his annual State of the Nation address to Congress, told the American people on Tuesday, 6 Jan., that the war program would cost $56,000,000,000, would mean "taxes and bonds, and bonds and taxes," and would result in strict civilian curtailment in the purchase of luxuries and non-essentials.

Two days later, in an address before the annual meeting of the Grand Rapids Furniture Exposition Association, Mr. Julius H. Amberg, special assistant to the Secretary of War, said, "While we are rapidly increasing our supply of many raw materials there still will not be enough left over from military needs to maintain our standard of living or our employment in peaceful pursuits."

Emphasizing that severe industrial dislocations were inevitable as a result of an all-out program for victory, Mr. Amberg said, "We are going to have changed lives. We cannot alleviate the effect of total war upon America by passing new laws, or getting some new superman administrator," he stated, warning that, "if we try, we shall not be waging a total war nor shall we win that war.

"Gradually adjustments will be made and we shall find our places in a total war economy," he continued, "although the places may be very different for each of us from those we now occupy. War changes value," he asserted and, "a man or a machine of high importance in peaceful civilization may be of small use in war."

Concluding his address, Mr. Amberg expressed regret that, "I cannot give you a more optimistic picture. It would be pleasant to say that we can defeat Germany and Japan with one hand and in our spare time. This is false. We have worn rosy glasses too long. Let's discard them. Let the clear light of day illuminate the true American scene in this moment of our greatest crisis."

Mr. Amberg's timely warning of the sacrifices the country must make in its economic and social life, unfortunately will not reach as wide an audience as it should, for the quicker the entire nation realizes what it must do to win the war, the nearer the United States comes to victory.

The President proposed a nine billion dollar tax program. This is designed not only to raise the revenue for the war, but also to aid in warding off inflation. For like purposes there will be an increasing tempo to the campaign for the purchase of Defense Bonds and Defense Stamps. Compulsory purchase by a salary deduction plan may be the ultimate answer.

Status of Promotion

ARMY PROMOTION STATUS

Promotions and Vacancies on the Promotion List (Cumulative since 1 Jan., 1942.

Last promotion to the grade of Colonel—Benjamin A. Brackenbury, JAGD, No. 53.

Vacancies—none.

Last nomination to the grade of Colonel—John S. Wood, FA, No. 61. Senior Lt. Col.—William H. Youngs, Cav., No. 62.

Last promotion to the grade of Lt. Col.—Westside T. Larson, AC, No. 352.

Last promotion to the grade of Major—Charles S. Stodter, SC, No. 361.

Last promotion to the grade of Captain—Oral G. Willis, Inf., No. 263.

Last promotion to the grade of 1st Lt.—William R. Stark, AC, No. 569.

Non-Promotion List

1st Lt. Richard I. Crone, MC, (temp. Capt., AUS), promoted to Capt., MC.

Warrant Officers

115 on the eligible list to be Warrant Officers. Appointments have been made through Voorheis Richeson.

0 on the eligible list to be Band Leaders (White). Appointments have been made through Bert Fetzer.

0 on the eligible list to be Band Leaders (Colored). Appointments have been made through Peter L. Crawford.

1 Warrant Officer discharged for the purpose of accepting active duty as a Reserve Corps officer.

1 Warant Officer died.

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were no enemy air attacks on the fortifications of Manila Bay. Enemy air activity was confined to reconnaissance.

Navy Dept., No. 25, 8 Jan.

Far East: The commanding officer of a United States submarine of the Asiatic Fleet has reported the sinking of an enemy transport. In addition this vessel succeeded in sinking three enemy cargo vessels, each estimated to be 10,000 tons displacement.

Central Pacific: The defense of Wake Island by United States Marines has been cited by the President of the United States as follows:

"White House,
"Washington,
"5 January 1942.

"Citation by the President of the United States of the Wake detachment of the First Defense Battalion, United States Marine Corps, under the command of James P. Devereux, United States Marines, and Marine Fighting Squadron 211 of Marine Aircraft Group Twenty-one under command of Paul Putnam, United States Marines.

"The courageous conduct of the officers and the men of these units, who defended Wake Island against an overwhelming superiority of enemy air, sea and land attacks from 8 to 22 Dec. 1941, has been noted with admiration by their fellow countrymen and the civilized world, and will not be forgotten so long as gallantry and heroism are respected and honored. These units are commended for their devotion to duty and splendid conduct at their battle stations under most adverse conditions. With limited defensive means against attacks in great force, they manned their shore installations and flew their aircraft so well that five enemy warships were either sunk or severely damaged, many hostile planes shot down and unknown number of land troops destroyed."

(The President's reference to five enemy warships was written before later information brought the total to seven.)

Wake: An increase of two Japanese warships—a destroyer and gunboat—over the originally reported cruiser, submarine and three destroyers that the Japs lost in the attack on Wake Island, was indicated in the reports to Marine Corps Headquarters, received from the Pacific area.

These reports were sent from Wake Island by a patrol plane. One written on 20 Dec. is from Major Paul A. Putnam, commanding aviation on Wake. The other is a day-by-day account of Marine Aviation's participation in the battle of Wake Island up to 20 Dec., by Major W. Bayler.

The day-by-day record of the battle, although not an official report, is Major Bayler's account of what Marine Aviation and Major Devereux's men did.

Major Bayler's report has but little reference to the Marines on the isle beside the aviation group, but on brief note—"Japs closed into 4,700 yards before 5 and 3-inch guns opened at point blank range"—indicates a cool courage on the part of Devereux's men that ranks with the classic "whites of their eyes" line of Bunker Hill, in the opinion of ranking officers at Marine Corps headquarters.

Added to the two Japanese destroyers which were lost in the final phase of the battle of 22 Dec., the new information received brings Japanese losses in taking the island of Wake up to a total of seven warships, one cruiser, four destroyers, one submarine and one gunboat.

Major Bayler was on temporary duty in Wake in connection with the establishment of a base of operations for the Marine Corps Aviation unit. This unit, composed of twelve planes with pilots and forty-nine ground personnel, arrived shortly before the outbreak of hostilities. Following is a copy of the penciled notes the Major made from the records kept by him and sent to the Commander-in-Chief, United States Pacific Fleet. He was present at Wake until 20 Dec.:

Synopsis of events (Wake local time) 8 to 20 Dec.:

"8 Dec., 7 A. M.—Received word bombing Oahu. General quarter station; 11:58 A. M., twenty-four Jap bombers on a northern course hit airdrome in column of division "V's" from 3,000 feet. One hundred pounds fragmentation bombs and simultaneous strafing. Casualties twenty-five dead, seven wounded, seven airplanes burned, destroyed.

"9 Dec., 11:45 A.M.—Twenty-seven Japs. Bombed hospital, Camp No. 2. Killed several patients. Three dead. Got one Jap plane.

"10 Dec., 10:45 A. M.—Twenty-seven Jap bombers. No casualties.

"11 Dec., 5 A.M.—Landing attempt by twelve Jap ships, including light cruisers, destroyers, gunboats, two troop or supply ships. Jap casualties: one light cruiser, two destroyers, one gunboat, two bombers. Note: That Japs closed into 4,700 yards before 5 and 3-inch guns opened up at point-blank range.

"12 Dec.—Twenty-seven Jap planes bombed Peale and Wake from 22,000 feet. No casualties.

"13 Dec.—All quiet.

"14 Dec.—Thirty-two Jap planes hit airdrome. Two killed, one plane downed. (Own destroyed by bombs).

"15 Dec., 11 A.M.—Dawn raid by three four-engined seaplanes. Twenty-seven Jap bombers. Shot down two Japs.

"16 Dec., 5:45 P. M.—Forty-one Jap bombers hit Camp Two and airdrome. Jap four-motor plane raid. One Jap shot down.

"17 Dec.—Thirty-two Jap bombers at 1,317 hit Camp One, Peale Island, Diesel Oil supply, mess hall and pumps of evaporators, Camp One.

"18 Dec., 11:40 A.M.—One Jap high rec. plane (two-engined).

"19 Dec., 10:30 A. M.—Jap bombers hit airport and camp.

"20 Dec.—All quiet—First day of bad weather. Total casualties: twenty-eight dead, six wounded as of 20 Dec. from V. M. F.—211.

Notes: (1) Jap bombers of Dornier type, twin-engined, twin tail, 160 knots. (2) Attack formations always in form of line of division V's in close formation. Excellent air discipline. (3) Nine sure Jap bombers shot down; three more possibly. One four-engined P-boat. One CL, two DD, one gunboat."

Major Putnam's report of operations to his commanding officer in Pearl Harbor goes into more detail on the efforts of the tiny aviation compliment to keep the planes that were left after the first attack in the air against each new attack.

Of the original aviation force of twelve officers and forty-nine enlisted men, nineteen enlisted men and eight officers were still on duty 20 Dec. Of these, four enlisted men and two officers were wounded but still on duty. One officer and six enlisted men were in the hospital and "doing nicely." The remainder, three officers and twenty-four men, were dead.

The letter relates that four planes were in the air against the Japs at the time of the first raid. The other eight were on the ground being serviced between flights, and of these, seven were destroyed and one was slightly damaged. One of the planes that was in the air later taxied into debris on the field—the wreckage of the first raid—and bent its propeller.

The Marine fighters, up to 20 Dec., had made contact with the enemy seven times, had shot down five Japs in flames, four more had been claimed by pilots but not verified, and several are known to have been damaged. Of the four claimed, one was a four-engined seaplane.

Discusing the surface attack of 11 Dec., Putnam reported, "four airplanes (Marine planes) made a total of ten attacks, operating in a greatly overloaded condition and performing splendidly. We claim the sinking of one ship and serious damage to another." The guns of Devereux's force evidently accounted for the remainder of the ships reported destroyed in Major Bayler's synopsis. In the attack on 11 Dec. one plane was lost, "a washout on the rocky beach."

After the attack on 14 Dec., which say two Marine planes destroyed, "one plane on the ground by enemy action and one crashed on the take-off." the Marines had "only two operating airplanes, one of which gives constant trouble, so that two planes in the air at one time is the exception rather than the rule." At one time only one serviceable plane was left to Major Putnam's Squadron, but the mechanics and ground crews evidently made an additional plane, or even planes, out of the wreckage of the remainder.

Lauding the work of the ground crews at Wake, Major Putnam wrote, "Since that time (the first raid) parts and assemblies have been traded back and forth so that no airplane can be identified. Engines have been traded from plane to plane, have been junked, stripped, rebuilt, and all but created."

Continuing his praise for the men under him, Major Putnam wrote:

"All hands have behaved splendidly and held up in a manner of which the Marine Corps may well tell. I have no report to make regarding any officer or man being outstanding in bravery or fortitude; they have all acquitted themselves with equal distinction. On the other hand, I particularly wish to comment on the indefatigable labor, and ingenuity, skill and technical knowledge of Lieutenant Kinney and Technical Sergeant Hamilton. It is solely due to their efforts that the squadron is still operating."

Discussing the living conditions on the airdrome as they were on 20 Dec., Major Putnam said:

"Personnel are living in dugouts made by the contractor's men and equipment. Not comfortable but adequate against all but direct bomb hits. Feeding is from the contractor's galley, a truck making the rounds with hot food twice daily. Sanitation is only fair, but so far have had only a mild flurry of diarrhea. Fresh water is adequate for drinking, but salt water is used for all other purposes."

The tone of the entire report indicates no particular anxiety on the part of the air group at Wake. They were there under orders with a job to do. They were doing the job and would continue to do it until circumstances beyond their control forced them to discontinue their efforts. They had kept those circumstances under control for almost two weeks and they would continue to do so.

At no time during the siege were more than four Marine planes in operation. Putnam reported, but the verified total that these planes took of the Japanese was one ship, one submarine and five Jap planes.

There is nothing to report from other areas.

Merchant Marine

Addressing the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce Capt. Howard L. Vickery, USN, member of the Martime Commission, said this week that "this time we have carefully designed our merchant ships, so that when the war is over, the United States will have the fastest and most efficient carriers afloat, with which to meet the most exacting requirements of any trades in which they may have to compete."

Emphasizing that we must not permit another "ghost fleet," Captain Vickery said, "When peaceful commerce is established once more, the merchants of the United States must follow the example of their foreign competitors and keep American ships filled with cargoes, or the merchant marine that is now being built will again be laid up or scrapped.

"To a great extent," Captain Vickery said, "even more than in the last war, victory depends upon ships. They must be built in greater numbers and in shorter time than was every attempted before.

"To supply transportation needed for military efforts all over the world, we have undertaken a construction program that requires cargo vessels to be completed within 14 weeks from the time keels are laid. Such vessels are ordinarily constructed in from eight to 12 months," he pointed out.

He said that the Commission is allowing only 14 weeks for the construction of the 10,500 ton cargo vessels now being built, known as Liberty Ships.

The Maritime Commission this week opened bids for the construction of 500 wooden barges for use on inland waterways. Delivery of the first barge is to be made in not more than 30 days and the last in not more than 110 days from the date of contract, a Commission announcement said.

Navy Extends Bond Campaign

Officials in the Navy Department Defense Savings Bonds Office this week revealed that an officer will be dispatched in the immediate future to Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, to assume duties as Issuing Agent and Certifying Officer for Defense Bonds. The transfer of this officer to Pearl Harbor marks the first expansion of the Navy's bond campaign outside of the Continental limits of the United States. Speculation is that the Navy will later extend its defense bond campaign to other points outside of the United States.

As the Navy's campaign completed its first week under the Payroll Reservation Plan, whereby employees of the Naval establishment voluntarily allot certain portions of their pay for the purchase of bonds, there was every indication that sale of bonds would increase many times.

Meanwhile, Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox in a letter to civilian employees of the Navy said, "It is a real privilege for every one of us in the naval service to aid our Navy by saving and investing in the Defense Savings Bonds of our country. If each member of the Naval establishment gives this question the serious consideration it merits, both as to his own future welfare, as well as to the needs of his government, I am confident the response will be overwhelming—thus setting a fine example to industry generally and to the nation as a whole.

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New Air Corp Promotion Asked

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motion. For example, a major temporarily promoted to lieutenant colonel under the terms of the Act of 1936 takes rank in grade as lieutenant colonel from the date of his temporary appointment, but upon receiving a permanent promotion to the grade of lieutenant colonel, his temporary commission is vacated and he loses rank in grade to the extent represented by the time elapsed between the issuance of his temporary commission and the date of his permanent promotion. In order to remedy this situation, the proposed bill contains a proviso preserving rank in grade during time of war or national emergency by providing that officers temporarily promoted under the Act of 1936 shall take rank in grade from the date of the earliest promotion to that grade. The problem is handled in this way rather than by amending the Act of 1936 for the reason that it is desirable upon termination of war or national emergency to revert to the peace-time status and the promotion policy established by the Act of 1936 and by Section 24a of the National Defense Act, both of which require promotion by seniority rather than by selection.

"The proposed legislation would not result in any increased cost beyond the appropriations now approved or pending.

"The Bureau of the Budget advises that there is no objection to the submission of this proposed legislation for the consideration of the Congress."

Text of the bill follows:

Be it enacted, etc., That, in time of war or national emergency declared by the Congress or by the President, any officer of the Regular Army Air Corps, any officer of the Regular Army other than Air Corps who is assigned to duty with any tactical unit, or any installation, or any staff, of the Air Corps, any officer of the Air Corps Reserve or any other section of the Officers' Reserve Corps assigned to duty with any tactical unit, or any installation, or any staff, of the Air Corps, any officer of the National Guard of the United States ordered into the active military service of the United States with an Air Corps unit or assigned to duty with any tactical unit, or any installation, or any staff, of the Air Corps, and any officer directly commissioned in the Army of the United States and assigned to duty with any tactical unit, or any installation, or any staff, of the Air Corps, may be appointed to higher temporary grade not above that of colonel, without vacating his existing commission in the Regular Army, the Officers' Reserve Corps, the National Guard of the United States or the Army of the United States as the case may be. The provisions of this Act shall not apply to officers of the arms and services other than Air Corps who are assigned to those units or detachments of such arms or services on duty with the Air Corps. Officers so appointed shall be appointed and commissioned in the Army of the United States and shall take rank in the grade to which appointed from the date stated in their commissions or letters of appointment. Such appointments shall continue until six months after the termination of the war or national emergency concerned unless sooner terminated by order of the President, or until relieved from assignment to the duty herein described, whichever is the earlier: **Provided,** That the temporary promotion of any officer under the terms of this Act shall not prevent his subsequent permanent promotion nor, if eligible therefor, his subsequent temporary promotion under Section 4 of the Act of 16 June 1936 (49 Stat. 1525), or under Section 127a of the National Defense Act as amended: **Provided further,** That during the period described herein, and in order to preserve relative rank in grade, every Regular Army Air Corps officer shall take rank in grade within the Air Corps from the date of the earliest promotion to that grade under this or any other provisions of existing law. Officers temporarily appointed under this Act shall be entitled to the pay, flying pay and allowances pertaining to the grade to which temporarily appointed. No officer holding temporary rank under the provisions of this Act shall be eligible to command outside the Air Corps, except by seniority under his permanent commission.

General Officers Transferred

Maj. Gen. Milton A. Reckord, formerly commanding officer of the 29th Division, this week took over new duties as commanding general of the Third Corps Area, succeeding Maj. Gen. Henry C. Pratt, USA, who is proceeding under military orders to an undisclosed destination.

993 New Chaplains

The War Department today authorized the procurement of 993 additional chaplains of the grade of first lieutenant for the Army of the United States. They will be drawn from those actively engaged in the ministry.

Review of Philippine Campaign

Japanese attacks on the Philippine Islands began 7 Dec., with air attacks on air fields and other military installations. These attacks were most severe on Luzon, but were not confined to that island. Especially singled out were Clark and Nichols, the big air fields near Manila.

The Japanese repeated these air attacks without regard for their heavy casualties. Large forces of bombers operated from fields in Formosa, while pursuit planes worked from aircraft carriers in nearby waters.

Primary objective of the first phase of the attack was the weakening of American air power, and this objective was attained, opening the way for the second phase of the invasion.

On 10 Dec., Japanese air attacks were made on the sea-coast villages of Vigan, and Appari, which are on the extreme north and northwest coasts of Luzon, special attention being given to small air fields near the villages. Landing parties followed in small boats, covered by naval and air forces. It was during the development of this attack that the Japanese battleship Haruna was sunk by an Army bomber north of Luzon on 10 Dec. In fact, little American resistance was offered, except in the air, since there were few troops in northern Luzon, which is separated from the south by high mountains.

However, the beacheads gained by the enemy at these points proved of value to them, first because they served as fields for pursuit planes, relieving aircraft carriers of this function, and second, because troops were able to advance south down the coast of Vigan, where ultimately they joined forces landing in Lingayen Gulf.

The first attempted landing in the Lingayen Gulf was repulsed 12 Dec., by the Americans, and at least two of the 12 transports engaged were sunk, several others probably being damaged. Here, American forces were able to bring their ground units into action, firing with artillery at the transports and supporting naval vessels.

Subsequently on 22 Dec., the great force of about 80 transports entered Lingayen Gulf, attempting landings at many points. Protecting them was a strong Japanese fleet, which engaged in bombardment of the coasts. Air forces were also engaged in bombardment and ground strafing. Support was also had from forces which came down the coast from Vigan.

American troops beat off all landings except one at Agoo. From this point the enemy consolidated an advance. Some of the invaders surrounded American and native troops, but in every case the defenders were able to fight through their lines.

The Americans were compelled to withdraw to a line south of Lingayen Gulf and extending across Luzon. Jap troops advancing east on good roads from Agoo crossed the island, were joined by forces coming down the Cagayen Valley from Appari, and attempted to turn General MacArthur's right flank.

Meanwhile, on 23 Dec., new landings had been made at Atimonan on Lamon Bay, which is the narrowest part of Luzon, and at other points. Crossing the isthmus at Atimonan the Japanese cut off the southern part of Luzon and then advanced north on Manila.

Pressure on American forces from north and south became so great that it became impossible to hold two fronts. It is probably that 200,000 to 300,000 seasoned Japanese troops from China and Hainan, including a tank division, were employed in the invasion. The southern forces, therefore, on 1 and 2 Jan., withdrew north to join the forces in Taupanga, Pampanga Province, uncovering Manila and permitting occupation of that city.

Continued strong pressure forced a withdrawal to the Bataan Peninsula which is now being held. General MacArthur's right flank is on Manila Bay with the fortress of Corregidor at his rear.

Gen. Haislip to Field

Brig. Gen. Wade H. Haislip, assistant chief of staff, G-1, it is understood, will leave Washington on or about 20 Jan., to be assigned to duty with a tactical unit.

Budget Delays Pay Bill

Despite promises for expedited action on the interdepartmental pay bill, S. 2025, the Bureau of the Budget so far has failed to give either a favorable or an adverse report on the matter.

The bill has been before the Budget two months, having been referred there by the departments whose commissioned and enlisted personnel are covered by the joint pay act of 1922 which the new bill proposes to rewrite.

Attempts to spur bureau action have been made by Senator Edwin C. Johnson, of Colo., chairman of the subcommittee of the Military Affairs Committee which is considering S. 2025, but to date no comment has been received.

Senator Johnson this week expressed the opinion that word from the budget would be forthcoming within the next few days, although, of course, he could not hazard a guess as to the nature of the opinion.

The sponsor of S. 2025 has expressed the determination to go ahead with the bill even if the budget report is unfavorable. A favorable report from the budget would, of course, probably gain added support for the measure since the budget speaks for the President; but, conversely, an unfavorable report would not necessarily kill the measure since Congressional sentiment for readjustment of service pay is very strong.

New General Assignments

Maj. Gen. Robert L. Eichelberger, superintendent of the Military Academy, has been assigned to command an unnamed Army division. The War Department confirmed reports, however, that General Eichelberger would leave his duties at the Academy, effective Monday, 12 Jan.

At the same time, it was stated that Maj. Gen. Francis B. Wilby, at present commanding general of the First Corps Area, will succeed General Eichelberger.

Maj. Gen. Thomas A. Terry, commanding general of the newly created New England Frontier Defense Sector, will assume additional duties as commanding general of the First Corps Area, succeeding General Wilby. The New England Frontier Defense Sector was activated pursuant to a War Department Directive and includes the six Harbor Defenses in New England, namely: Harbor Defenses of Portland, Me., Portsmouth, N. H., Boston, Mass., New Bedford, Mass., Narragansett Bay, and Long Island Sound.

Two Selection Boards Named

The Navy Department announced today formation of two selection boards, which will convene 19 Jan., to consider captains of the line for promotion to rear admiral, and lieutenants and lieutenants (jg) of the Dental Corps, Regular and Reserve, for advancement to the next higher grade.

Membership of the board to consider captains of the line is composed of the following rear admirals: William T. Tarrant, president, Adolphus E. Watson, John D. Wainwright, James O. Richardson, Gilbert J. Rowcliff, John H. Newton, Wilhelm L. Friedell, Leigh Noyes, and Felix X. Gygax. Lt. Comdr. Edmund B. Taylor, USN, is recorder.

Membership of the board to consider the dental officers is composed of the following captains, all Dental Corps, USN: George M. Frazier, president, Louis F. Synder, Clark E. Morrow, Howard R. McCleery, Andrew L. Burleigh, James I. Root, Lt. Comdr. Lyman R. Vaughan, DC, USN, is recorder.

Chief's Nomination Confirmed

The Senate this week confirmed the nomination of Ch. William R. Arnold to be chief of chaplains for a second term. Chaplain Arnold had been serving as acting chief of chaplains since his term of office expired on 22 Dec. See page 518 for earlier story.

Capt. Denfeld Assumes Duty

Capt. Louis E. Denfeld, USN, has assumed duty as assistant chief of the Bureau of Navigation, as of 2 Jan. 1942. He relieves Rear Adm. John F. Shafroth, USN, who has been transferred to duty afloat.

Complete Jap Fleet at Luzon

Testifying on a bill to authorize an additional $845,000,000 in shipbuilding and ship repair facilities for the Navy, Rear Adm. Samuel Robinson, chief of the Bureau of Ships, told the Senate Naval Affairs Committee this week that a full force of all types of Japanese vessels covered troop landings on the island of Luzon and prevented interference by American naval units.

Admiral Robinson's statement followed a question by Senator Wiley, of Wis., as to the advisability of concentrating on smaller types of naval vessels, in view of the successful defense of a small tender against a mass Jap air onslaught. The bureau chief remarked that a destroyer or cruiser would have had no trouble about blowing the tender out of the water, and said:

"The Navy has got to have everything you can think of, from a crash boat to a battleship, and a vast amount of aircraft to protect that particular surface outfit against the air, and a whole lot of patrol ships to protect it against the submarine.

"Take, for example, these landings in Luzon, those transports were protected by capital ships and everything else you can think of. Otherwise our submarines would have gotten them and there wouldn't have been any transports landed. The whole thing is a very complicated problem, naval movements are, and if you are going to carry on a movement like that you have got to have your big ships that can destroy the other fellow's, and have them protected from air and water."

The bill on which Admiral Robinson testified, S. 2153, was reported by the committee. A companion bill, H. R. 6304, was reported by the House Naval Affairs Committee and passed by the House.

Each bill carries $500,000,000 for expansion for shipbuilding facilities, made necessary by expedition of construction, $275,000,000 for ship repair facilities, and $70,000,000 for ordnance construction facilities.

The measure is the fifth to authorize ship construction facilities, two bills in 1940 and two in 1941 having authorized expenditures of $800,000,000 for ship construction facilities and $160,000,000 for ship repair facilities. Previously, $425,000,000 has been authorized for ordnance manufacturing facilities.

Lighter-than-Air Squadron

Marking the beginning of realization of the nonrigid airship portion of naval aeronautical expansion, with appropriate yet simple official ceremonies at the Naval Air Station at Lakehurst, N. J., on 2 Jan. 1942, Rear Adm. Adolphus Andrews, USN, Commander North Atlantic Naval Coastal Frontier, placed in commission the ZP-12 Squadron, the first of a number of airship patrol squadrons which will constitute one element in our naval coastal defense forces. Four moderate-sized nonrigid airships of the patrol type made up the ZP-12 squadron.

Such nonrigid airships or blimps are valuable for escort and general coastal patrol work especially against submarines and mines. The blimps are armed with depth bombs and guns.

Comdr. George H. Mills, USN, until this occasion the Commanding Officer of the Lakehurst Naval Air Station, becomes the Commander of the first Airship Group established in this new organization, and is succeeded in command at Lakehurst by Comdr. Fred C. Sachse, USN, previously the Executive Officer of that station.

Roll of Honor

Lt. Comdr. William L. Kabler, USN, commanding officer of the seaplane tender USS Heron, who fought off an attack of 15 enemy planes, bringing one down, and damaging at least another. Commander Kabler, for his heroic feat was prompted to lieutenant commander and awarded the Navy Cross by Admiral Thomas S. Hart, commander-in-chief of the Asiatic Fleet.

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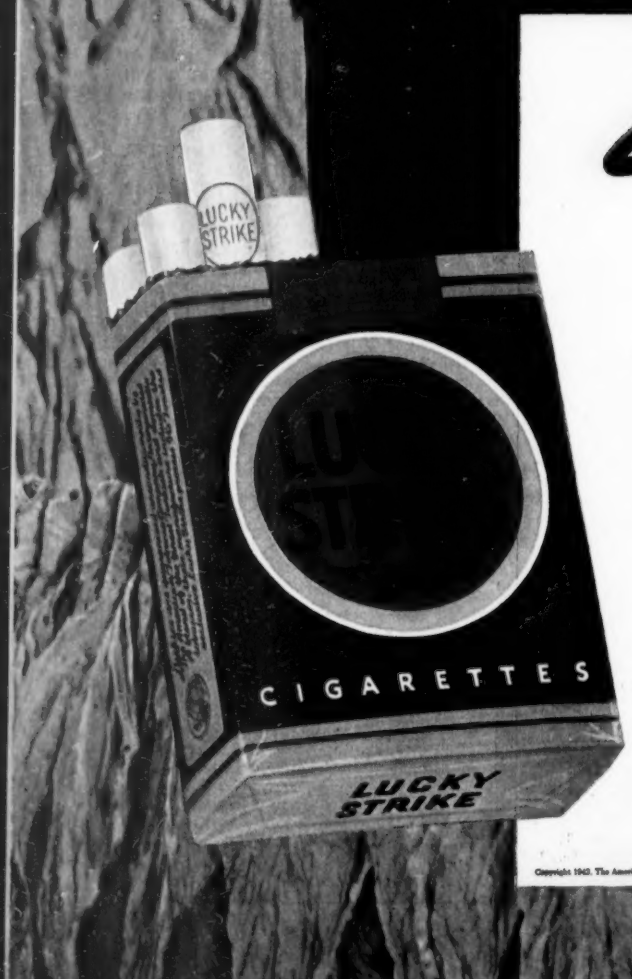

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